

THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897.

ONE CENT.

MAY BE ARBITRATED.

Mayor Bell May Settle the Troubles in the Tunnel Road Company.

END IS MUCH DESIRED.

If Litigation is Engaged in Delay in Construction Will be Weary.

The trouble of the Tunnel railroad company will probably be settled out of court. Mayor Bell has been appealed to by both sides of the controversy and doubtless the mayor will accomplish a peaceable adjustment of the difficulties. The Deam faction and also the Davies faction have implicit confidence in the ability of the mayor and he will probably be selected to arbitrate the difficulties.

Such a settlement seems to be the sensible solution of the trouble. The case started in the circuit court, even if Mr. Deam should succeed in gaining his point, might possibly have the effect of freezing Charles G. Davies out of the company and Mr. Davies is the only man who thus far has any money in the enterprise, with the exception of a few straggling dollars spent in the early commencement of work.

A good many thousand dollars have been spent in right of way and construction—not spent in reality for the work is unpaid thus far. Men are in need of their money and many stories of enforced poverty are being heard on account of the non-appearance of the pay day booked to arrive this week.

As soon as the trouble between the directors of the road is settled the capital is ready to pay this construction work and to carry it forward. As long as the fight is on the construction will stop and the laborers and contractors will be out of the money which is theirs and which they need.

The road at the present time would scarcely seem to be of any great commercial value and its unsavory record as a debt defaulter will not add to its value. Benton Harbor is interested in the road and wants it, and the general impression is that a settlement is greatly to be desired.

If Mayor Bell succeeds in bringing about a compromise he will have the thanks of the city and of both parties to the promised litigation as well.

Litigation means that no more work will be done on the road for a year;

that the debts of the new company will remain unpaid. Compromise means that the railroad will be built and the debts of the new company paid.

NAVAL DRILL.

It May be One of the Attractions July 5.

Negotiations are pending looking to the bringing of two sections of the Illinois naval militia to this city to give a drill on July 5.

The naval militia is the same class of organization as the regular state militia, only that the naval soldiers fight and drill on the water instead of on land. There are 16 men to each section and each section has a large boat. A naval drill of this kind would largely compensate for the loss of a regular celebration.

COUNTY C. E.

Very Successful Session at Berrien Springs.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, June 18.—The Berrien County Christian Endeavor closed its annual two day's session at this place today.

The program throughout was interesting. Thursday morning Rev. E. S. Ireland of Bridgman conducted the devotional exercises and Rev. Dr. Brooks of Benton Harbor gave a short talk. In the afternoon H. W. Hess of Berrien Springs gave the address of welcome, which was responded to by the county superintendent. This was followed by a junior rally conducted by Miss Cora Hubbell of Buchanan. Mrs. Alice Parry of Three Oaks spoke on "How Shall We Create an Interest in Missions." Miss Edna Garrat and Rev. L. G. Herbert of Watervliet rendered a duet. Miss Carrie Parsons of Kalamazoo spoke on the importance of the junior work, Miss Clara Hubbell on the junior pledge and Miss Hattie Green of Three Oaks on the importance of the pledge. In the evening ringing addresses were made by the Hon. O. N. Woodruff and Rev. L. G. Herbert both of Watervliet.

There was a sunrise prayer meeting this morning. Those on the program today were Rev. Frank Fox, Miss Myrtle Pardee, Three Oaks, Miss Simmons, Buchanan, Dr. Brooks, Benton Harbor and an open parliament.

This has been a very successful convention. Nearly every place in the county was represented and undoubtedly the rain kept a number away.

Three Oaks and Watervliet had the largest representation.

The reports from the societies were encouraging as they showed that the society was increasing and prospering.

The Junior Christian Endeavor work was shown that it is progressing more than the Senior.

There was the largest delegation of juniors at this convention than ever before.

The next meeting will be held in Watervliet next June.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Frank Fox, Three Oaks; secretary, Miss Belle Bratton, Coloma; treasurer, Miss Nina Sparks, Berrien Springs; junior superintendent, Miss Lulu Weatherwax, St. Joseph; missionary superintendent, Miss Roby Chadwick, Benton Harbor; Bible superintendent, Rev. L. S. Herbert, Watervliet.

COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Sheriff Ferguson left this morning for Jackson with Thomas Stathers and John Weston who were sentenced yesterday.

The case in assumpsit of Thomas Walker vs William E. Syms and George Dudley has occupied the court since yesterday afternoon. The judge is hearing the arguments in the case this afternoon.

WILL GIVE PRESENTS.

C. J. Brown Makes a Strong Bid for Saturday's Trade.

For Saturday's grocery trade C. J. Brown will make an unusual effort which cannot fail to catch the people.

With every 5 cent cake of Kirk's White Cloud soap he will give a spool of silk thread, choice of colors. The thread is worth 5 cents and the soap is worth every cent as much as the thread.

With every 10 cent cake of White Cloud soap he will give a silver-plated teaspoon, excellent goods.

With every trade of \$2 or over he will give a fine easel mounted picture, nice enough for anyone's parlor. These pictures are 8x12 and are artistic designs.

W. E. Kittelle takes orders and delivers Lowe & Rouse's ice cream from his fruit wagon which makes daily trips to all parts of the city. 3t528

Business Opportunity.

Do you want a nice business? no opposition, nicely located, trade can be increased for a small investment—If so call at this office for particulars.

Van Twiller better than the best.

Ottawa Beach, Grand Rapids, Sunday Excursion, June 20.

Get ready to spend the day at one of these places. To make it easy, the C. & W. E. Ry. will run a special train from Benton Harbor at 10:30 a. m. to Ottawa Beach, Grand Rapids, Sunday, June 20.

THE "TOPIC" WON.

The Benton Harbor Bicycle Covered Itself With Glory Yesterday at Bangor.

TOOK EVERYTHING IN SIGHT.

And Now H. A. Foeltzer Feels Avenged and is Very Happy in Consequence.

H. A. Foeltzer, president of the Benton Harbor bicycle works, took half a dozen of his famous Topic wheels to the Bangor races yesterday and quarter of a dozen riders. He went after satisfaction and he got it.

Some Benton Harbor men went to Bangor and told about that the Topic wheel was no good. Now Mr. Foeltzer has an agent at Bangor who is doing quite a business in selling his wheels and the story of the Benton Harbor smarty hurt the comfort if not the business of the Bangor agent.

Yesterday there was a Grand Army reunion at Bangor and the town was full of visitors, and a few of the visitors were full of the town—or something else. Mr. Foeltzer and his little squad arrived at the race track and his riders were about to be barred out because they lived in another county. The crowd on the grand stand wanted to see the Bangor boys do up the Benton Harbor lads and there was a shout which the authorities could not resist: "Let the kids ride if they want to. They won't hurt anybody."

So they rode, and they won every race except the first which was a ladies' race. Following is the score: Half mile boy's race—Fred Northrup, Topic, first; Lynch, Topic, second. Time 1:13.

One mile race—Harry Cross, Topic, was in the lead. He fell and a Paw Paw rider took first prize. Cox, Topic, second; Vaughan, Topic, third. Time 2:36.

Two mile handicap—Fred Northrup was given one-eighth mile start. Cox, Topic, first; Northrup, Topic, second; Harry Cross, Topic, fourth. Time, 5:22.

Five mile free for all—Vaughan, Topic, first; Woodward, Topic, second, and Cox, Topic, third. Time 14:74.

The Bangor boys took on at such a rate that the Topic riders gave back the prizes they had won, and they were divided among the local riders.

New Michigan Postmasters.

Michigan postmasters appointed yesterday: J. R. Graham, at Applegate, Sanilac county, vice T. Elliot, removed; J. G. Bruce at Burnside, Lapeer county, vice S. P. Gates, removed; Herman Prange at Casco, St. Clair county, vice J. L. Kellar, removed; A. A. Holdt, Kilmanagh, Huron county, vice John Rummel, resigned; W. W. Harrington at North Branch, Lapeer county, vice William Butler, removed; N. M. Stark at Otter Lake, Lapeer county, vice W. E. McCormack, removed; Henry Hull at Ravenna, Muskegon county, vice E. Thatcher, resigned; J. M. Johnson, Richmond, Macomb county, vice J. M. Hathaway, removed; J. M. Bradley at Sebawa, Ionia county, vice A. A. Garlock, removed; J. H. Schluter, Sebewaing, Huron county, vice J. L. Pregitzer, removed; C. H. Loomis at Sparta, Kent county, vice Albert Betterly, removed; F. H. Clark, at Utica, Macomb county, vice Syra Morrison, resigned.

HERE'S A CHANCE.

W. E. Kennedy Will Sell Ladies' Lace Pins Dirt Cheap.

Tomorrow, Saturday June 19, only, I will place my entire line of ladies' lace pins on special sale. This stock consists of pins which have always been sold at from 75 cents to \$3.50. You can take your choice of the lot at 50 to \$1.25. You are asked to look at the goods. W. E. KENNEDY, jeweler.

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

We have given John Schaller the agency in Benton Harbor for our Barley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley it is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurity. For the sick and feeble it is a true tonic. E. H. CHASE & Co., Distillers, Louis 111. Ky

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nor's-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

□ Carmody Bros. and Enders & Young, Watervliet, sell Katie Putnam cigars. 6t529.

Erie, Pa. Excursion.

June 23 and 24 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Erie, Pa., and return at one fare for the round trip account meeting Knights of St. Johns. For full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Spray Your Trees.

A good fruit crop only is secured by spraying your trees. Now is the time. W. F. Kimball will spray one tree or a large orchard. Leave orders at A. H. Rowe's grocery store. 504 tf

Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

Recommend up the River.

The ladies of Benton Harbor Circle.

They will sell you a Katie Putnam cigar.

Just for the Fun of It

I WILL SELL THIS WEEK

2000 pairs Ladies' Hose,	at 5c per pair
2000 pairs Misses' Hose,	at 5c per pair
A good Hammock,	for 75c
\$2.50 Shirt Waists for \$1.00	A nice 6c Dimity for 4c
1.25 " " " .75	" 12c " for 8c
.75 " " " .45	" 10c " for 7c
A lot of Shirt waists for .25	All Linen Crash for 4c
Best Amoskeag Gingham,	for 4c
Toile De Nord fine French Gingham,	for 6c
\$1.00 Kid Gloves,	for 69c

In fact I will sell you every article in Dry Goods and Notions for less than any one in town.

SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' SILK CAPES AT \$3.19

Other stores will charge you \$4.50 for the same goods.

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Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

We are always on a reserved seat in the front row.

Saturday, June 19

WE OFFER

10 doz. ladies' Jersey vests at 7c each.
10 doz. ladies' Jersey vests at 4c each.
10 doz. ladies' summer corsets at 20c each.
500 yds. fine summer silks at 19c per yard.
5 doz. ladies' Jersey union suits at 25c per suit.
5 doz. ladies' Jersey vests, long sleeves, 15c each.
10 doz. ladies' White Point silk mitts in black at 22c, worth 35c a pair.

We will on this date offer 1,000 yds. all Silk, Satin and Gro Grain Ribbons in Nos. 7, 9, 12, 16 and 22, worth from 12c up to 25c per yd. Your choice of any color or width at the unprecedented price of 12c per yd.

...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.
Fine Shredded Coconut, 18c lb.
Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb.
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.
5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c.
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.
Armour's family lard, 5c lb.
XXXX coffee at 15c.
9 bars Jaxon soap for 25c.
Javanese coffee at 15c pkg.
10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.
Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.
Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.
Armour's family bacon, 8c lb.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29
Guaranteed for One Year.

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Come and Drink Soda That is Soda.

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We are sole agents for the sale.

The Barber Kept on Shaving..



the prices off our Carpets and beginning Monday, June 14, we will place on sale all of our

Carpets and Matting...

At Greatly Reduced Prices..

will sell the best Extra Super Ingrain Carpet at 45c, regular 60c quality.
 Ingrains at 45c, 37 1-2c, 30c and 20c.
 Rugs at 13c.
 New Matting at 9c, 11c, 14c and 20c.

Everything included in this sale are guaranteed to be this year's stuff in new designs. No old designs which can be bought for a song, but extra good values.

...JAMES POUND

Our Trade Growing During the Hard Times.

Michael & Beeny,
 328 Pipestone street.

While business is dull and many merchants have been forced to reduce expenses we have been compelled to double our store space. Reason: Our goods are fresh and the best and we never allow a customer to become dissatisfied.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH.

LILI IS HEARD FROM.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani Makes a Vigorous Protest

AGAINST THE MOVE ON HAWAII.

Declares Herself the Ruler of the Islands by the Will of God, Deposed by Aliens to Her Dominion and Against the Will of the People of Hawaii--Backs Up Her Claim with the Willis Report on the Revolution--Rule of an Alien Minority Charged.

Washington, June 18.—About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon ex-Queen Liliuokalani filed the following protest in the office of the secretary of state. It was delivered into the hands of Secretary Sherman by Joseph Heleluhe, representing the native Hawaiians, duly commissioned by two of their Patriotic leagues. Heleluhe was accompanied by Captain Julius A. Palmer, the American secretary of Liliuokalani. Sherman treated the bearers most courteously, but gave no indication of his action in the matter:

"I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, by the will of God named heir apparent on the 10th day of April, A. D., 1887, and by the grace of God queen of the Hawaiian Islands on the 17th day of January, A. D., 1893, do hereby protest against the ratification of a certain treaty which, so I am informed, has been signed at Washington by Messrs. Hatch, Thurston and Kinney, purporting to cede those islands to the territory and dominion of the United States, I declare such treaty to be an act of wrong towards the native and part-native people of Hawaii, an invasion of the rights of the ruling chiefs, in violation of international rights both toward my people and toward friendly nations with whom they have made treaties; the perpetuation of the fraud whereby the constitutional government was overthrown; and, finally, an act of gross injustice to me.

Refers to the Willis Report.
 "Because the official protest made by me on the 17th day of January, 1893, to the so-called provisional government was signed by me and received by said government with the assurance that the case was referred to the United States of America for arbitration.

"Because, that protest and my communications to the United States government immediately thereafter expressly declare that I yielded my authority to the forces of the United States, in order to avoid bloodshed, and because I recognized the futility of a conflict with so formidable a power.

"Because, the president of the United States, the secretary of state and an envoy commissioned by them reported in official documents that my government was unlawfully coerced by the forces, diplomatic and naval, of the United States; that I was at the date of their investigations the constitutional ruler of my people.

"The Just Powers of the Government," Etc.
 "Because, such decision of the recognized magistrates of the United States was officially communicated to me and to Sanford B. Dole, and said Dole's resignation requested by Albert S. Willis, the recognized agent and minister of the government of the United States.

"Because, neither the above named commission nor the government which sends it has ever received any such authority from the registered voters of Hawaii, but derives its assumed powers from the so-called committee of public safety, organized on or about said 17th day of January, 1893, said committee being composed largely of persons claiming American citizenship, and not one single Hawaiian was a member thereof or in any way participated in the demonstration leading to its existence.

"Because, my people, about 40,000 in number, have in no way been consulted by those, 3,000 in number, who claim the right to destroy the independence of Hawaii. My people constitute four-fifths of the legally qualified voters of Hawaii, and excluding those imported for the demands of labor about the same proportion of the inhabitants.

CONFISCATES THE CROWN LANDS.
 Robs Her of Her Hereditary Property and Ignores National Good Faith.

"Because, said treaty ignores not only the civic rights of my people but, further, the hereditary property of their chiefs. Of the 4,000,000 acres composing the territory said treaty offers to annex, 1,000,000 (or 915,000) acres has in no way been heretofore recognized as other than the private property of the constitutional monarch, subject to a control in no way differing from other items of a private estate.

"Because, it is proposed by said treaty to confiscate said property, technically called the Crown lands, those legally entitled thereto either now or in succession receiving no consideration whatever for estates their title to which has been always undisputed and which is legitimately in my name at this date.

"Because, said treaty ignores not only all professions of perpetual amity and good faith made by the United States in former treaties with the sovereigns representing the Hawaiian people, but all treaties made by those sovereigns with other and friendly powers, and it is thereby in violation of international law.

"Because, treating with the parties claiming at this time the right to cede said territory of Hawaii, the government of the United States receives such territory from the hands of those whom its own magistrates (legally elected by the people of United States and in office in 1893) pronounced fraudulently in power and unconstitutionally ruling Hawaii.

"Therefore, I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, do hereby call upon the president of that nation to whom alone I yielded my property and my authority to withdraw said treaty (ceding said islands) from further consideration. I ask the honorable senate of the United States to decline to ratify said treaty, and I implore the people of this great and good nation, from whom my ancestors learned the Christian religion, to sustain their representatives in such acts of justice and equity as may be in

SENATE ON BUSINESS TODAY.
 Few Complete Schedules of the Tariff Bill Done in a Single Day.
 Washington, June 18.—The senate made greater progress yesterday on the tariff bill than any day since the debate opened. Two entire schedules, covering twenty pages, were completed, namely—schedules H, on spirits, wines and beverages, and schedule I, on manufactured cotton goods. This brings the senate to the flax schedule, with the important wool schedule standing next. The portion of the bill passed yesterday is substantially the same as that reported, all committee changes being unimportant.

The house was in session an hour and a half yesterday, most of the time being taken up with roll calls. Sulzer of New York succeeded in injecting into the proceedings a brief speech in favor of Cuba, in which he denounced Weyler as a "thief" and "murderer." The bill for the relief of the residents of Greer county, O. T., was passed. At 1:35 p. m., the house adjourned till Monday. One of the Democratic members of the senate committee on finance said yesterday that henceforth they would interpose no objection to the rapid disposition of the tariff bill. They will suggest amendments and ask votes on them for the purpose of making a record, but there will, if they can control the matter, be no long speeches on the schedule, with the possible exception of wool, hides, the reciprocity paragraph which the Republicans have promised to report, and a few other sections.

BUTTER SHIPMENTS TO ENGLAND.

Result of the Experiment to Extend Our Dairy Export Trade.

Washington, June 18.—The results of the first shipment of butter ever made by this government to foreign markets, this time to England, have been communicated to Secretary Wilson in an official report from the experts who managed the experimental exportation. The data is of significance to dairying interests and as an indication of what may be expected in the development of markets for these products. The report says it is evident that unless the retailers can be reached without much extra expense in transportation, so that better relative prices can be realized, eastern creameries cannot yet afford to consider the question of exporting their products.

Opinions of English judges indicate that one-quarter ounce of salt to the pound of butter will be enough to use for this market. Cubical boxes were much preferred by the wholesalers, who paid a considerable difference for it in that shape. Small packages were not in favor with them, and although scoring highest as to quality the thirty-pound tubs, sold as "quarters" of twenty-eight pounds, brought only 17 1/2 cents per pound, and five-pound boxes and prints less than 16 cents. The wholesalers paid 18 1-5 cents for the Iowa butter in cubical boxes, and for the identical butter in Welsh or sixty-pound creamery tubs they paid only 17 1/2 cents.

Hood's Pills

Stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure biliousness, headache, dizziness, sour stomach, constipation, etc. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE VANDALIA.

Lake Chautauque Excursion.

On account of meeting of the Photographers' Association of America, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets July 11 and 12 to Lakewood or Jamestown, N. Y., at one first class limited fare for the round trip. For rates and full information call on or address,

FRANK R. HALE, Agent,
 St. Joseph, Mich.

Detroit Excursions.

July 5, 6, 12 and 13 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Detroit, Mich., and return at one fare for the round trip, account meeting of Young People's Christian union, and meeting of the National Republican league of the United States. For full information call on or address

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Chattanooga and Return \$15.15.

July 13, 14, 15, the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Chattanooga and return at the above low rates on account of the International Convention Baptists Young People's union of America. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Fourth of July.

July 3, 4, and 5 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to all points within 200 miles of its own and connecting lines at one fare for the round trip, tickets limited to return on or before July 6. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

To San Francisco Only \$26.45.

June 28, 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, the Vandalia line will sell tickets to San Francisco at the above low rate, and at correspondingly low rates to other western points and for the return trip on account of Y. P. S. C. E. Only one change of cars to or from the Pacific coast. For full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

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RECHARGE YOUR BATTERY.
 March 7, 1893.
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 IT MAKES LIFE WORTH LIVING.
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 Primary, the only remedy for blood poisoning. It is a powerful antiseptic and disinfectant, and is the only remedy that can be used in all cases of blood poisoning. It is sold by all druggists and chemists. Write for full particulars.

SAID TO BE NAMED.

The Deputy Oil Inspector for Berrien and Cass Counties is Probably Appointed.

CHOICE NOT YET MADE PUBLIC.

The Three Candidates in this County are Trying to Read Their Fate in the Stars.

On July 1 the term of W. L. George as deputy state oil inspector for Cass and Berrien counties expires and the place will be filled for some other good republican. Mr. George has held the office for four years and made no application for re-appointment as he preaches and practices the doctrine that if two terms were enough for Washington they are enough for George or anybody else.

Word was received here this week that the appointment of a deputy for this district had been practically made but that the announcement would not be made public for several days. It was added in the information, however, that the appointee is a Berrien and not a Cass county man.

This last announcement has brought joy to each of the three candidates in this county, who are: Charles A. Brown and Edward Brummal of this city and D. H. Bower, the editor of the Buchanan Record.

Every one of the candidates has strong indorsements and it is likely that Governor Pingree will exercise some of his choice political discernment in the selection.

Dr. Gifford, chiropodist, office opposite postoffice.

COLLEGE NOTES.

All the Teachers, or Nearly so, Bicycle Enthusiasts.

Prof. Niz started on his bicycle trip on Wednesday; his tour will include several of the cities of Michigan and Indiana.

By appointment of the state superintendent, Principal Edgecombe will take charge of the teachers institutes at Hastings and Ludington, in August next.

The summer term of the college will open on Monday, June 28, with the following corps of teachers:—Mr. Niz will take charge of French and German.

Mr. Whitten will teach Latin and Greek.

Mrs. Edgecombe with one or two assistants will conduct the usual kindergarten training class.

Mr. McCracken takes care of the science classes.

Miss M. M. Mericle, who has recently been engaged to succeed Miss Edison, will conduct the work in elocution, physical culture and literature. This young lady who is a graduate of the Emerson school of Oratory of Boston, comes with very high testimonials of efficiency.

Mr. H. R. Foster will teach mathematics and English.

Mrs. Webb, Miss Collins and Mr. Beekley will conduct the vocal and instrumental work; preparations are being made for some interesting features in this department during the summer.

Miss Caneday will give instruction in free-hand drawing and painting.

Mr. Edgecombe will take charge of the pedagogical work and other duties that may be found necessary. With this faculty all students in attendance, will enjoy exceptional advantages, especial provision being made for those who wish to begin the ancient or modern languages, for those who desire to do supplementary work for the universities, and for those preparing for the various grades of certificate.

Several of the rooms of the college have been repapered since school closed and many other improvements have been made in readiness for the summer term.

Principal Edgecombe and wife have just returned from their bicycle trip, which included Kalamazoo, Battle Creek, Marshall, Albion and Jackson, with many side jaunts to villages lying along the line of the Michigan Central and Lake Shore railroads. The weather was delightful and the roads in very good condition; in these respects no fault could be found. With the exception of some rather high hills which had to be surmounted by more natural means, all the journey was performed on the wheel. Two days were spent in visiting with the family of Mr. E. Billingham near Albion, and a week with Dr. and Mrs. N. D. Yale of Deerfield, near Adrian. Mrs. Yale is a sister of Mr. Edgecombe and was at one time lady principal of the college. The trip was very beneficial to both Mr. and Mrs. Edgecombe who have been very closely confined to school work for the past two or three years.

Smoke the best—Van Twiller's.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin needs stimulating and color-food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for No. 1—Sold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 5 cents.

Which is the best cigar? Van Twiller's.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

See Old Man's back makes all trains

STAR SHIPMENT.

40,000 Cases of Strawberries Shipped from This County Last Night.

The fruit commission men claim the largest shipment of strawberries for last night. They estimate a shipment of 40,000 cases from Berrien county, the largest percentage going from St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

RECEPTION TO MR. CONGER.

Benton Harbor People Will Meet the Minister to Brazil.

From 8 to 11 o'clock tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Conger will give a reception at their home on Pipestone in honor of the Hon. E. H. Conger, the new minister to Brazil, who will stop here on his way from Iowa to Washington. He is a brother of F. D. Conger.

The invitations for the reception were sent out today, and those fortunate to receive them will meet one of the foremost political and diplomatic figures which the great state of Iowa claim.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

The Berrien Springs band has reorganized, with M. D. Lyon director, Earl Stowe assistant, Irvin Morgan manager, Jesse Wollam secretary and George Wollam treasurer. The mem-

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bers are all old hands and seem to take hold at the right place. It's a good band and all ready for business.

Muskegon is rejoicing over having secured a rolling mill.

Because of a desire to obtain wealth without working for it in the old-time way, Jerome W. Tompkins, Charles Lyons and a 19-year-old boy named Dorr Holliday, all of Vicksburg, are in jail on the charge of counterfeiting Uncle Sam's money.

Commencement at Ann Arbor next week.

The diphtheria epidemic at Gallien is subsiding.

The Hessian fly is doing damage to Michigan wheat.

Lansing's council wants the telephone and telegraph companies to pay for the use of the streets.

William Alden Smith is trying to get a \$240,000 appropriation for Holland harbor.

Change in Eau Claire School Board.

EAU CLAIRE, June 18.—Dr. J. H. Herring has been chosen director of the school board in the place of Jos. Tennant resigned. At a meeting of the board Saturday night it was decided to add a new room next year. Miss Maude Ward will be retained as primary teacher and Miss Ethel Wynn will teach in the intermediate department.

Dr. Gifford, chiropodist, office opposite postoffice. 530tf

Home-Seekers Excursion to the South and Southeast.

July 6 and 20, August 3 and 17 and on each preceding day the Vandalia Line will sell round trip excursion tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For full information call on or address

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Madam J. DeCarter does hairdressing, shampooing, manicuring and facial massage. No extra charge for going to the house. Switches made to order. Call at Chadwick & Rehm's. 495t26

The Paw Paw Lake Train.

The Paw Paw lake train will go into service Saturday, June 19. Parties attending the races in Coloma on that day can return to Benton Harbor at 5:15 p. m.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line, to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping. Don't forget this.

TRAMPS ARE BOLD.

They Robbed Several Wagons Hitched in the Shadow of the City Hall Last Night.

PEOPLE BECOMING ALARMED.

And They are Crying Out for the Hasty Inauguration of the Stone Pile.

Right in the very shadow of the city hall on East Main and Sixth streets last night half a dozen wagons were robbed by hoboos. Theodore F. Barry lost an overcoat, an undercoat and a coat belonging to one of his boys; the gossamer of Mrs. Rolla Woodruff was stolen from her wagon right in front of the city hall; J. H. Dickerman, whose horse was tied on Sixth street, had two lines stolen from his harness. Several other rigs were burglarized.

The people are crying out for the hasty inauguration of the promised stone pile. The tramp nuisance cannot much longer be endured in peace.

IMPORTANT RULING ON PENSIONS.

One That Will Affect Many Claims Where Soldiers Have Disappeared.

Washington, June 18.—Assistant Secretary Davis, of the Interior department, has rendered a decision that will affect many claims for pensions. He reversed the action of the pension office in the case of Catherine Geronzin (a widow of a soldier in the Ohio infantry), which rejected the claim for pension because there was no proof of the death of the soldier. Geronzin left home in July 1866, since which time nothing has been heard from him.

The assistant secretary holds that further inquiry should be made concerning the man and if nothing is thereby developed throwing additional light on the case death may be presumed under the act of March 15, 1896, making seven years absence from home, without intelligence of his existence, be sufficient for a presumption of death.

Andrews Will Face His Accusers.

Chicago, June 18.—Dwight L. Andrews, former state grain inspector, under indictment for embezzlement, conspiracy, and other charges, suddenly returned to Chicago yesterday and gave bonds to appear when called for trial. Andrews appeared in Judge Dunne's court with William J. O'Brien and Tom Gahan. His features were tanned a healthy brown, and he evidently had lost little sleep over the troubles incident to his unfortunate administration of the grain office. One of the most serious charges against Andrews was that of robbing the state funds by wholesale pay-roll stuffing. In this connection the grand jurors examined scores of witnesses who had been on the pay-rolls at the grain office and swore they had not earned a penny of their wages.

Governor Tanner's Vacation.

Springfield, Ills., June 18.—Governor and Mrs. Tanner will vacate the executive mansion tomorrow in order to permit the repairs provided for by the legislature to be made. They will spend a month at the grounds of the Miltona club in northern Minnesota. Governor Tanner has notified Lieutenant Governor Northcott of his intended absence from the state, and he has invited him to act as governor during that time.

Oldest Indiana Banker Dead.

Waterloo, Ind., June 18.—John Leas, the oldest banker in northeastern Indiana, died at his residence in this city Wednesday afternoon at the age of 82 years. He was the founder of the Citizens' bank of Waterloo. The funeral will be held Friday under the direction of the Masons.

Richard Yates to Get the Post.

Washington, June 18.—It is learned that the appointment of Richard Yates, of Illinois, as collector of internal revenue for the Springfield district, has been fully decided upon, and his nomination will be sent to the senate within the next few days.

Drowned in Eel River.

Wabash, Ind., June 18.—Ernest Ebblinghouse, aged 14, and Royal Hamm, 13, were drowned yesterday morning at North Manchester while bathing in Eel river.

Want to Oust Russell Sage.

New York, June 18.—A formidable movement is on foot to oust Russell Sage from the presidency of the Iowa Central Railway company.

New Bank for Logansport, Ind.

Washington, June 18.—Authority has been granted for the organization of the City National bank, of Logansport, Ind., capital, \$200,000.

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Special Low Rates will be in effect to Put-in-bay, Islands of Lake Erie, Lake Chautauque, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, St. Lawrence River, Adirondacks, Lake George, New England Resorts, New York and Boston. To the Great Lakes, Cleveland, Sandusky, Toledo, Detroit, Benton Harbor, Mt. Clemens, Mackinac and Michigan Resorts. To the Northwest and West via St. Louis and Chicago. For rates, routes, time of trains and full particulars apply to any agent "BIG FOUR ROUTE," or address

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FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897.

THE WEATHER.
Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow. In Southern Michigan.

ANGOR citizens are convinced now that the only wheel made is made in Benton Harbor.

QUEEN Lil is trying to put a stop to the annexation of Hawaii. The ex-senator will have just about as much to say as the ex-senator David B. Hill, the one without a wife or family.

The Niles papers are now by the way. It has gone so far that one of them calls upon the public in the name of Christianity to wipe off the war (the other paper) from the face of the community. It looks as though the Phoenix accident association might write a few policies in the Niles newspaper offices.

A SAN Francisco millionaire has just been jailed for spitting on the floor of a street car. That's right. A millionaire ought not to get off with a fine in such a case and a hobo should not be jailed for minor offenses. Paying fines is easy for the millionaire and going to jail is a delightful excursion to the average hobo.

The Berrien Springs Era would like to know who was the disgruntled republican supervisor who voted for a democratic chairman. As the board was a tie some one—either a republican or a democrat—had to vote for the candidate of the other party. The republican who voted for Mr. Tichenor was a patriot. He believed the people of the county elected the board of supervisors to do business and not to quarrel over who should be chairman of the board.

What Lincoln Had Learned.

Mr. Albert Blair, writing in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat about President Lincoln, remarks especially upon his unaffectedness, and in so doing relates a story which may prove an encouragement to readers who have sometimes found themselves ignorant where they had supposed themselves well informed.

In February, 1865, Mr. Blair was present at a White House reception, a general reception, open to everybody. Mr. Lincoln was attended by Judge David Davis, who took the names of all comers and introduced them to the president.

Of course there was a crowd, and nobody had time for more than a word and a handshake. Mr. Blair was presented to the president, and then stepped aside to watch the show. Mr. Lincoln and Judge Davis carried on a conversation, constantly interrupted though it was.

"Now," says Mr. Blair, "it was 'How do you do, colonel?' or 'My brave boy' (this to a young soldier) or 'I am glad to see you,' or some other phrase of cordial recognition."

There was no official starch, but what especially impressed Mr. Blair was a remark made by Mr. Lincoln in a perfectly matter of fact, unaffected tone, loud enough to be heard by many of the bystanders.

"Judge," said he, "I never knew until the other day how to spell the word 'maintenance.'" Here a hand interrupted him. "I always thought it was m-a-i-n, main, t-a-i-n, tain, a-n-o-e, once, maintenance, but I find it is m-a-i-n, main, t-e, te, a-n-a-o-e, nance, maintenance."

Bargain in Land

Ten acres of good land as level as the house floor. Within five minutes walk of the electric street railway. One-half set to all kinds of fruit. This property will next be required for city lots and will make just 50 good-sized lots. At the low price of \$200 each will equal \$10,000 and if taken at once will take \$5,000.

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Very Low Rates to Western Points.

On account of the C. E. U. Convention at San Francisco, tickets will be sold by the C. & W. M. and D. G. R. & W. lines at very low rates on June 29-30, July 1-2-3.

To all western points tickets will also be sold at rates not higher than to San Francisco.

Ask agents for full information or address.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Genl. Passr. Agt., Grand Rapids.

Old papers for sale at this office.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Norel at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

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See the best door stop made at the office. E. H. Kelley, agent

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See the best door stop made at the office. E. H. Kelley, agent

is a Five Dollar William



Don't you believe it just look at this chair...

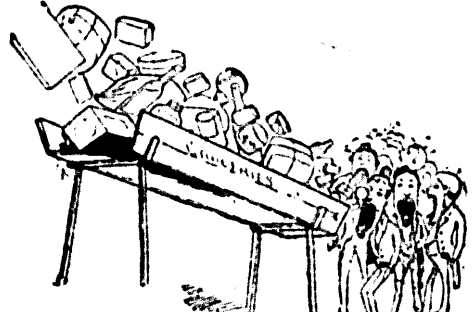
Solid Oak
\$5.00
PER SET

How quick we will jump for a chance to receive it.

And lay it away with both caution and care.

Yours, etc.,
C. J. PECK..

IN EVERYBODY'S MOUTH



That's a fact. Our groceries are mouthed handsomely because they are more than good enough to be eaten. Anything that is good enough to be eaten must be first-class. It's a hundred to one that if we carry it it's gilded. That's our rule, and we never deviate from it by a hair. It's our high grade goods that win us the table, our low prices that are the housekeepers' joy—the fatteners of pocketbooks.

Do You Want a Set of Dishes?

We have the right kind at the right price. We carry the largest stock, the finest and most up-to-date dishes in the city. We import our Crockery direct, buy in large quantities, are satisfied with small profits and are here to please. Note a few of our prices.

100 piece dinner sets, from \$5.00 to \$16.00
Chamber sets, from \$1.50 to \$9.00
56 piece tea sets, from \$3.50 to \$4.50
4 piece glass sets, from 25c to 75c
7 piece berry sets, 25c
Water sets, from 50c to \$2.00
A full line of Delft ware 10c apiece.

Fancy cups and saucers, vases, water bottles, cut glass, cuspidores, lamps, individual sugars and creams, etc., at prices that will surprise you.

If you want good clean groceries at low prices give us a call. If you want slop and dirt, don't.

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SUITS \$15
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the values we are giving. For when those dollars are scarce you want to make them go as far as possible and before you let them fly away be sure that you have got good value for every cent of it.

These are Times When You Can't Lay Up a Cent

But you can always save money and get just what you want by coming to us. We are after trade and if honest values and reasonable prices are any object to you in making purchases of Footwear don't overlook us. We are on the square and will use your level. Always a few moments ahead of our competitors.

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Men's Outing Flannel Shirts at 19c each
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Ladies' Shirt Waists, at 19c, 48c, 59c, 89c and \$1.48
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AT J. C. CALKINS'

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Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke; 10 cigar for 50c. Beware of imitations. See that your cigar is stamped Pro Patria. Geo. Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., 108 Main street, Druggist, Benton Harbor, Mich.

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This hotel reopens on strictly first class basis, June 7. New management, improved service, appointments thoroughly modern. Accommodations will be reserved upon application to J. B. Schofield, manager, Lake View hotel, Culver, Ind.

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RECEPTION at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening.

LOOK for the special sale announcements in today's paper.

THE big Reichhold shows will be here June 22, next Tuesday.

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. Holman, Heath's Corners, a daughter.

THE Methodist excursion and the circus will conflict next Tuesday.

HERR BROS. expressed fifty crates of strawberries to Grand Rapids last night.

If the weather will permit, C. R. Hollis & Son will send up a thirty foot balloon tomorrow evening.

WRESTLING match between Champion Fred Vandenburg and Clare Knodel in Conkey's hall tomorrow night.

THE telephone for the new company are being admired by a large number of people at the Robinson store on Pipestone street.

MEMBERS of the Tribe of Ben Hur are requested to pay their assessments to Will Chapman on account of the illness of the scribe.

THE ladies of St. John's church will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. John Robinson Monday, June 21. All are cordially invited.

Two tough looking emigrant wagons arrived here from Indian territory this afternoon. One is going to northern Michigan and the other to Sister Lakes.

THE fruit growers' express shipped three cars of strawberries last night. One was sent to Detroit and another to Peoria. A refrigerator car carries 800 crates.

MR. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford were married twenty-three years ago today. Mrs. Crawford is celebrating the anniversary by nursing her husband's sprained ankle.

THE owner of the St. Joseph brick factory cannot swear to the identity of the engine fixtures captured here yesterday. The stolen goods are just like his but he cannot swear to them.

THE representatives of the 1,000 independent telephone companies in the United States will meet in Detroit next Tuesday. The Twin City telephone company will have a representative there.

It has been learned that the brass fixtures stolen from an engine did not belong to J. M. Allmendinger but they tally closely with the fixtures stolen from the sand brick factory in St. Joseph.

HUGH Hanley, drunk and disorderly, was given 15 days in the county jail today, by Justice Graves. The fellow begged to be released but the justice made him take the proper medicine just the same.

CAPTAIN McIntosh, commanding the City of Chicago, is sick aboard his boat. He brought the steamer into the St. Joseph harbor this morning and then went to bed. Dr. Sowers is attending him. First mate, William Russell, will be in command this afternoon.

ED. Murray, the jay of all country jays, has secured the job of advertising the Columbia cigar in this city. John Mays tried to insure the fellow, who is made up as an awkward country boy, in the Phoenix association, and even Mr. Mays admitted that the country boy was smart.

THE health officer is in a deluge of anonymous letters requesting him to call in various parts of the city to investigate the alleys and streets. He requests THE NEWS to say that no attention will be paid to these letters. If anyone has a complaint to make let them sign their names.

A MAN giving his name as Albert Oberdorf, of Chicago, caught his foot between the bumpers of the freight cars here this morning while trying to catch a ride on the Big Four to Niles. The man was taken to Dr. Bell's office and the bruised foot dressed by Dr. Winans. He suffered intensely and it will be some time before he can walk.

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Special Bargains Which Our Merchants are Offering.

Herr Brothers will tomorrow offer the most wonderful bargain ever given by a Benton Harbor grocery house. With every cash purchase of \$5 or over they will give a ticket on the Methodist excursion to Chicago Monday night; a ticket to any customer paying \$5 or over on account; a ticket to any one buying a \$5 due bill redeemable in groceries next week. As the tickets will cost the firm \$1 the offer is marvelous.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin needs stimulating and color-red, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Regulator.

SNAPS IN WHEELS.

2 Clevelands
1 Waverly
1 Poorman...

3 gents', 1 lady's, good as new at your own price.

SHOE SHOP
Under Foeltzer's Store.

Van Twiller, 10c cigar sold for 5c.

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Good Mer's Pants.....35c up

Men's all wool Clay Worsted Suit.....\$6.50

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Boys' Suit, a very good one.....98

Boys' Broomey's Overalls.....15c

Summer Underwear.....from 5c up

Tinware, Notions and Granite Iron Ware at wonderfully low prices.

Call, examine our goods and prices and be convinced.

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At M. S. PECK'S

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Best material used. All work first class.

Prices reasonable.

MILO MOORE.

—Miss Blanche Petty of Detroit, is visiting friends in the city.

—Mrs. R. H. Randall of Indianapolis is visiting Mrs. Charles K. Farmer.

—John Bell returned last evening from Orchard Lake where he has been attending school. He will spend the summer at his home here.

—Mrs. J. C. Fyfe, of Hudson, Wis., is visiting her mother Mrs. S. G. Antisdale and will remain here for several weeks.

—E. H. Conger, the new minister to Brazil, will be in this city tomorrow, the guest of his brother, Frank D. Conger. Mr. Conger is on his way to Washington and from there he will go to South America.

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MONASTERIES OF METEORA.

An Extraordinary Scene on the Macedonian Frontier.

Between the curve of the Macedonian frontier of the mountains of Khasia and the open town of Kalabaka, which terminates the long western plain of Thessaly, lie the monasteries of Meteora. A casual glance gives the idea of the whole space being occupied by lines of bare hills, but on a nearer inspection a curious amphitheater is found, carved out among the mountains, and this is occupied by a most extraordinary collection of rocks, on which are perched, like storks' nests or the turban on a Turkish tombstone, the aerial monasteries of Meteora. In one place a huge monolith is found literally crowned with buildings, as in the case of the monastery of All Saints, popularly known as Hagios Barlaam; in another a group of jagged rocks will have one point capped by a monastery, as is seen in St. Nicholas. The most striking feature about these monasteries is the method by which they are reached, either by loose ladders hanging outside the perpendicular rocks or by being wound up by means of a windlass in a net at the end of a rope.

From its beautiful position, its size and the fair preservation of its buildings the monastery of Hagios Barlaam is a very good specimen of these fifteenth century monasteries, but what makes this one of especial interest is that the rope is said to be the longest used for the purpose—340 feet. The ladders to this monastery are not so difficult to climb as some, but inasmuch as they pull out every time you grip them and oscillate frightfully it is pleasant to risk the net.

The monastery of Hagios Nikolaos appeared to be in a totally dilapidated condition and entirely deserted when we visited Meteora, while the ladders, which rise from a neighboring peak and hang from the bare rock, are impracticable. All these monasteries are under the archimandrite, a man of commanding presence and saintly countenance. The village of Kastraki is jammed in between the outer rocks of this curious amphitheater, and in the slit of this rocky wall at the back of the village stands a most peculiar hourglass looking monolith. The rocks on either side are perforated with strange holes, which in the fourteenth century were inhabited by the monks of St. Anthony.

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A PESKY WHALE.

"There's whales an' whales," said the captain suddenly. "Some of 'em is critters an' some ain't so pesky." The boats went up in clouds and there was silence.

"Reckon you've got something on your mind, cap," said the doctor.

"Nothin' very particular," said the captain. "But when whales was in the water, it reminded me. I had old Liz a-bearin' sea way two years ago—old Liz was my ship, her full name bein' Elizabeth J. Barker—an we'd had a pretty good season. September we put out the Horn, an' as things happen, I didn't see another whale till we struck into the forties. Then, sir, 'long about six knots, we raised a whale that was a whale."

"Big, I bet," said the doctor.

"No, not so terrible big," said the captain. "But pesky. I was standin' about 'midships when one of the men came out, 'Hi, cap, look at 'im blow.' Sure 'nough, half a mile off an dead whale a-blowin' starboard he was blowin'. He went up a good spout an' then seemed kinder settle himself, like he was appin, showin' a good bit of his length. I boys old Liz to, an' we put over a couple of boats. Rowin in the small boat was a Dutchman named Frank. I mention him, 'cause he comes into the yarn pretty prominent. Frank was a good sailor, but one of them fellers that has dreadful little to say. He tended right to business an' kept his hatch battened close. Well, as it turned out, the little boat licked the big one an' got the first whack at the whale. They put a harpoon into him just over his port fin, an' down he went."

"I stood a-watchin' things through a glass. I waited an' waited for the boat to start off in tow, but she didn't do nothin' but set still, which was puzzlin'. In about five minutes somethin' big an' black broke water 'tween us an' the boat, an' there was old blower not more'n 200 yards from the place he went down. He warn't up long, but enough to get his bearin's, I guess, for down he went again, an' I could see the bow man gettin' ready to give him all the rope he'd take. Then the boat started, slowed a bit an' came dead for the ship at a 40 mile clip. I never see a boat travel so. We watched 'em, an' when she got within a quarter of a mile I thinks to myself: 'This is gittin' blamin' interestin'. I wonder is that whale goin' to sheer off, or is he goin' to give us a ram?' That boat, sir, traveled for us as true as a hair, an' I could see the men in her gettin' excited. On she came, throwin' spray like a liner, an' I kalkilated if she held her course she'd hit us so near 'midship it wouldn't be worth measurin' the difference. Then I see the man in the bow make a pass for the rope with the hatchet, but he was nervous like an' missed it, for the hatchet went overboard, an' he, losin' his balance, along with it. The rest of the men warn't long decidin' what they'd do. It was go overboard or git smashed to flinders, an' when they got within 60 yards of us they all went over but Frank."

"'Jump, you idiot!' yells I. 'Do you want to git stove?' Mebbe he didn't hear, but I reckon it wouldn't made no difference, for as I'm livin', doc, that Dutchman lay himself out on his stomach in the bottom of the boat, grabbed a foot o' cleat with both hands an' hung on for dear life. Well, old whale kept comin' on. I could see the boat go down a little by the head as she got close to us, an' I knew the rope was scrapin' the ship's keel. We was all holdin' breath an' waitin' to see Frank splatter his brains against the ship's side, when the boat went nose down, starn up an' under water with a kerchug. She missed reachin' us by about five yard."

"All hands aboard ship leant over to see Frank an' the splinters come up, for the boat would sure fetch again the keel an' go to kindlin' wood. We waited an' waited, but, by gum, there warn't no splinters an' there warn't no Frank. All of a sudden one of the men sings out, 'By the holy poker, look!' I whipped 'round, an' there, 20 fathom off our port, was the little whale boat, full of water to the gunnel, an' Frank standin' up in her, waist deep, holdin' onto a rowlock for dear life. So help me, doc, that boat was towed clean under old Liz, the Dutchman in her, an' come up sound on the other side."

"Yes, sir, under the ship sliok as a whistle, an' the Dutchman in her. That whale was a scientist, sir. He kalkilated right to lose the boat, but, bless you, he's a bigger job than any one wanted to tackle to stave that craft, an' so for floatin', she was boxed at each end an' couldn't sink. But that ain't the end of the story. We remembered the feller that jumped, an' we seen the big whale would pick 'em up before we could get another over, so we turned to look an' Frank again. There warn't anything in the boat to talk with, an' he couldn't do nothin' but wait on the water. That whale, he traveled for us as true as a hair, an' I could see the men in her gettin' excited. On she came, throwin' spray like a liner, an' I kalkilated if she held her course she'd hit us so near 'midship it wouldn't be worth measurin' the difference. Then I see the man in the bow make a pass for the rope with the hatchet, but he was nervous like an' missed it, for the hatchet went overboard, an' he, losin' his balance, along with it. The rest of the men warn't long decidin' what they'd do. It was go overboard or git smashed to flinders, an' when they got within 60 yards of us they all went over but Frank."

"'Jump, you — Dutch lubber, or you're a dead man.' But he didn't jump an' I see him gittin' ready for another dive under old Liz. 'I grabbed up a bucket, climbed on the rail an' when the boat came near enough I let drive at Frank, hopin' to knock him overboard if I hit him. He seen it comin', dodged an' just as the boat went tail up again yelled: 'I can't swim!' 'Down went the boat like a soundin' lead, an' this time we all slid over to starboard to see her come up. Seven or eight seconds passed, maybe, an' then about 15 fathoms off our beam up come the boat, bottom up. 'Oh, Lord,' groaned the cook, 'he's a goner!' But he warn't. No, sir. The boat hadn't traveled 20 yard afore she righted, an' we seen Frank's head bob up over the gunnel. Well, old whale didn't run so far this time, for he broke water a few hundred fathoms off. In about a minute he sent up a stream of blood. I seen that the harpoon was a good throw an' he wasn't goin' to fight long."

"I sent the second boat out after him, but they didn't git far 'fore down goes the whale for the third time, an' in a second the little boat slewed again, an' we knew he was comin' at us. There warn't no way to stop the whale, so we just waited again, while the little boat made tracks for us like she was goin' to ram. Just when I reckoned by the line out that the whale was passin' under us there was a tremendous bang, an' every mother's son was thrown flat. Old Liz rolled to starboard an' then back to port an' lay rockin' while we got up. Reckon you guess what happened, doc. That whale miscalculated. He laid his course fine as silk, but his elevation was off a couple of points. He didn't fetch deep enough an' hit old Liz a welt tha'd like to rip the keel off her. That settled the business too. We looked over the rail an' seen some bloody water, then a flipper, an' soon a big, black body floated up alongside. There was our whale, sir, dead as a hunk of salt pork, with the top of his head half torn off. He was a blue whale, doc, an' he measured close to 62 feet. What become of the Dutchman? Why, the boat slowed down when the whale rammed us an' the other boat took him off. Hurt? No. He went to work outtin' up that whale along with the rest of 'em. I did hear afterward that he was grumblin' 'cause 'twas his bucket I throwed at him an' it warn't picked up. Right lively whale, warn't it, doc?"

"Right lively," repeated the doctor absently.—Minneapolis Times.

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Excursion up the River.

The ladies of Benton Center Circle, who are raising money for building a Union church, will give an excursion up the river on the May Graham June 19. Fare for the round trip 50 cents. Boat will leave Benton Harbor at 7:30 a. m. and St. Joseph at 8:00. The ladies will conduct a lunch counter on the steamer. Bikes free.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Court for the County of Berrien in favor of Michael Murphy, against the goods and chattels and real estate of William A. Baker, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 28th day of May, 1897, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said William A. Baker in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: All those certain pieces and parcels of land situated and being in the Township of Watervliet, Village of Coloma, County of Berrien and State of Michigan, and described as: Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, Baker's addition to the Village of Coloma, Berrien County, Michigan. Also southeast quarter of southwest quarter of Section 28, Town 3, South Range 17, West, (40 acres.) Also piece of land commencing at northwest corner of said forty acres of land, thence south 80 rods, thence west 104 rods, thence north 16 rods, thence east 60 rods, thence north 33 and 4-10 rods, thence east 80 rods to place of beginning (20 acres.) Also part of the south half of Section 29, Town 3, South Range 17 west beginning in center of North and South Road through said section in south line of land formerly owned by Uriah Harris being within east and west quarter line crosses said road, thence south 100 rods, thence west 80 rods, thence north 100 rods, thence east 80 rods to place of beginning, (50 acres.) in Watervliet Township, Berrien County, Mich. All of which I will expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Berrien, on the 10th day of July, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m.

hedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

Excursion Rates

THE BIG FOUR.

Account of the Junior Order United American Mechanics National Council, Pittsburgh, Pa., June 18 to 19, '97.

For the above occasion the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare, tickets on sale June 12, 13 and 14, 1897. Final return limit June 21, 1897.

Account of Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church, Detroit, Mich., July 6 to 13, '97.

The Big Four Railroad Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets at one first class one way fare. Tickets on sale July 5 and 6, 1897. Final return limit July 14.

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The great southern exposition has created great interest throughout the country and applications are being made as to the best route to reach this great southern city. The "Big Four" has the best line from the east with through train service to Cincinnati from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleveland and Columbus; from Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati; and from Chicago and Benton Harbor to Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct connections are made with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry. Full information will be cheerfully given upon application.

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For the Baptist Young People's Union of America to its annual convention "The Big Four Route" will name rate of one fare for round trip from all points on its system. From the east through trains run to Cincinnati, making direct connection with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry. in Central Union depot. From the north a choice of routes is offered via Cincinnati or Louisville. For rates, routes, and full information call on any representative of the Big Four route.

Account of the annual convention of the Young People's Christian Union at Indianapolis, Ind., August 18 to 23, 1897. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare. Tickets on sale August 17 to 18. Final return limit August 24.

Account of the national republican league of United States at Detroit, Mich. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 12 and 13. Final return limit July 16.

Account of the German Epworth League, M. E. church, convention to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 22 to 25, 1897, the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 21 and 22. Final return limit July 28. L. G. SMITH, Agent.

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1:00 p. m. daily	4:30 p. m. daily	8:30 p. m. daily	9:30 a. m. daily	1:30 p. m. daily	2:30 p. m. daily
ex Sat. & Sun	10:30 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	11:30 p. m. daily	4:00 a. m. daily	5:30 a. m. daily
8:30 p. m. daily	Inc. Sunday	12:00 noon Sat.	Inc. Sunday	8:00 p. m. daily	8:00 p. m. daily
Inc. Sunday	8:00 a. m. Sat.	urday only	10:00 a. m. Sun.	day only	7:00 p. m. Sat.
7:00 a. m. Sat.	6:00 p. m. Sun.	day only	2:00 p. m. Sat.	urday only	

Tri-weekly steamers to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7 p. m., St. Joseph at 8 p. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leave Milwaukee at 7 p. m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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In effect Sept 27, 1894.

Going South			Stations.	Going North		
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11:35	1:35	12:00	Benton Harbor	1:40	10:35	8:50
11:40	1:40	12:05	St. Joseph	1:45	10:40	8:55
11:45	1:45	12:10	Chicago	1:50	10:45	9:00
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THAT NEW ANNEX

Opponents Will Put Up a Hot Fight in the Senate.

RATIFICATION LIKELY TO GO OVER

Friends of the Treaty Will Not Object—Where the Strongest Opposition Will Come From—Sherman's Reversal of Himself Does Not Surprise His Old Colleagues—Change of Mind a Right Reserve—European Comment.

Washington, June 18.—The impression is now prevalent in the senate even by the friends of Hawaiian annexation that the treaty cannot be ratified at the present session if there is any such opposition as is promised. The programme now is that the treaty will be reported from the committee, and after the tariff bill has passed it will be called up. The senate will be asked if a time for a vote can be fixed, and upon objections being made by the opponents of the treaty its friends will say they are content to allow it to lie over until the next session. One reason for not pressing the treaty in the face of opposition is that the sentiment which may be only partially opposed to the treaty will be crystallized, which is not desirable. It is also believed that senators who are now undecided may become influenced favorably after mature consideration and after finding out what the drift of sentiment is in their states. It is well known that senators cannot be held here after the tariff bill is passed in the hot weather.

Where the Opposition Will Come From.
Opposition to the annexation project has broken out much more violently than was anticipated by the administration, and the treaty will be roughly handled when it comes up in the senate for ratification. Whether this opposition will be able to muster sufficient strength in that body to defeat ratification is a speculative problem. The strongest and most dangerous opposition will come from two sources—those who are against the acquisition of remote territory by the United States and opposed by this government to the embarkation upon this principle upon colonization schemes, and second, those who will fight annexation on the plea that the cheap labor of the Hawaiian Islands will seriously injure our agricultural interests, particularly checking the development of the best sugar industry of the middle west, which gives promise of being an important addition to the production of the soil throughout a large section of the country.

Sherman's Reversal of Himself.
The story that Sherman is to withdraw from the cabinet is current again. It hinges upon the assumption that the secretary's pride has been so humbled by signing a treaty which is in direct contradiction to his settled theories about the danger of territorial acquisition that he will retire from the premiership in disgust. Sherman, during the latter days of the Fifty-fourth congress, when Cuba was under discussion, took occasion to reiterate his previously expressed antagonism to the further addition to our territory, stating that in his opinion it would be the prudent and safe course for this country to attend strictly to its own business and not attempt to possess itself of outlying territory, which might involve us in serious and unnecessary complications with other nations.

Reserved the Right to Change His Mind.
This statement was talked about a great deal in the senate yesterday, but very few of the secretary's old colleagues in that body believe he will withdraw from the cabinet. They say that Sherman, all through his political career, has reserved unto himself the right to change his mind or reverse his position to suit the exigencies of any occasion which might arise making such change desirable. Sherman has not as much pride in his consistency as some public men, and it does not seem to embarrass him in the slightest to make a shift. If he had been going to resign he would have done so Wednesday.

FOREIGN VIEWS OF THE MATTER.

Some British Editors Seem To Be the Most Disturbed.

London, June 18.—The Pall Mall Gazette says that the Marquis Ito, the Japanese statesman who was interviewed Wednesday in Paris on the Hawaiian annexation question, has declared that Japan will not create international difficulties in connection with Hawaii, and that certainly no other country will object to the annexation of Hawaii by the United States. Commenting on this utterance, the Pall Mall Gazette says: "President McKinley may call annexation merely a continuance of existing relations, but it is undoubtedly a departure in the colonizing sense. It does not mean that Cuba will follow, or anything of that kind; but it means a strong naval policy. The United States will certainly be a great sea power in the future; her commerce and seaboard necessitate that; and Hawaii will be of the greatest value if it means naval expenditure now, and it may well repay it with compound interest in the future."

The Globe says: "This American grab is a breach of good faith, if not a violation of treaty rights, and there is all the more reason for anticipating a prompt and watchful attitude upon the part of Lord Salisbury now, when it is remembered what a flabby appearance England presented to a contemptuous world in the case of Venezuela. No English ministry, however strong, can afford to repeat that policy often. All Englishmen heartily desire to cultivate and maintain friendly relations with the United States, but our trans-Atlantic kinsmen must not be allowed to believe that England can be bullied into submitting to any kind of off-hand treatment, whether for electioneering or other purposes. Lord Salisbury and his colleagues should stiffen their backs and tell President McKinley politely, but plainly, that Great Britain claims the right to be consulted before the annexation of Hawaii is finally decided upon."

Paris, June 18.—The Temps, referring to the annexation of Hawaii by the United States, says: "We regard the annexation of Hawaii as a departure from the policy of non-interference which has been the basis of our foreign policy since 1803."

nothing will so contribute to strengthen aggressive Americanism and whet the appetite for Cuba as this first taste at the expense of little Hawaii."

HAS AN INVESTIGATING SPELL

Nine Wisconsin State Institutions To Be Subjects of Inquiry.

Milwaukee, June 18.—A movement is being formulated to investigate the management of nine of the principal state institutions of Wisconsin on serious charges. Proceedings are already pending against Superintendent J. G. Hart, of the Industrial School for Boys at Waukesha, on charges of drunkenness and cruelty, and Richard Petherick, of the state board of control, has been placed in temporary charge of the institution. Since these proceedings began Lynn S. Pease, one of the attorneys for the prosecution, has received letters demanding an inquiry in other state institutions, and it is expected that formal charges will soon be placed in the hands of the board of control.

The chief institutions against the management of which complaint is made are the Asylum for the Insane at Mendota, with about 500 inmates; Northern Hospital for the Insane at Oshkosh, with nearly 600 inmates; state prison at Waupun, with about 625 inmates. The number of boys confined in the state school now being investigated is about 350. Undue cruelty, it is understood, is the principal complaint in each instance.

SOCIAL DEMOCRACY OF AMERICA.

That Is What Debs' Co-operative Colonization Scheme Is Called.

Chicago, June 18.—The name selected for Debs' new departure in the reform line by the committee on legislation of the convention now in session in Ullrich's hall is "Social Democracy of America." There was a good deal of opposition to the name and the debate was warm when it was taken up by the convention.

The name reported was finally agreed to and after six hours of wordy warfare the platform on which the Social Democracy is to stand, was adopted. It declares that thousands of men work in shops, co-operating to the most efficient division of labor, but the fruits of this co-operative labor are in a measure appropriated by the owners of the means of production. The present economic system of the country is considered and condemned, and the platform closes with a call for recruits to enlist under the banner of the Social Democracy. Today the state will be selected in which Debs' co-operative plan will be tried.

Scores on the Ball Field.

Chicago, June 18.—Following are League records at base ball: At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 9, Brooklyn 1; at New York—Cleveland 0, New York 5; at Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 19; at Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia—Rain. Western League: At Columbus—Minneapolis 3, Columbus 10; at Detroit—Milwaukee 3, Detroit 4; at Indianapolis—Kansas City 1, Indianapolis 5; at Grand Rapids—St. Paul 6, Grand Rapids 5.

Western Association: At Des Moines—St. Joseph 9, Des Moines 5.

Is Love an Excuse for Theft?

Oakland, Ills., June 18.—Many expressions of sympathy are heard for Miss Elvira Hunt, the deputy postmistress, who has made trouble for herself by opening letters which she believed contained money. She has confessed as much, and has been indicted by the United States grand jury. The only excuse made in her behalf is that she is in love. She wanted fine clothes with which to adorn herself so that she would appear attractive to her lover. Many people believe that there are circumstances of mitigation in the case.

Killed While Eating His Supper.

Owosso, Mich., June 18.—Charles Moss was struck by lightning and killed Tuesday evening while eating his supper. Moss and his wife had quarreled in the morning, and she had gone to her mother's house and taken her children with her. Moss' entire body was covered with a wonderful tracery like fern leaves of the most delicate construction.

McKinley to Visit Chicago.

Chicago, June 18.—President McKinley and cabinet will come to Chicago to take part in the unveiling of the John A. Logan statue on July 22. The president will review a procession, that promises to be one of the biggest in recent years. The entire Illinois militia and governors and their staffs from twenty states will be present.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

American hens last year earned \$290,000,000, more than the value of the entire wheat crop.

At a picnic the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin Association of Modern Woodmen, near De Kalb, Ills., three persons had their legs broken and two others were seriously hurt by the falling of a stand on the grounds.

Henry Ross, aged 65 years, while fishing on logs at Shell lake, Wis., was caught by the logs rolling and was crushed and drowned.

The brownstone quarry at L'Anse, Mich., has been started up with a full force after a long period of idleness.

Peter Touchev was probably fatally scalded by falling into a vat of hot malt at Michels' brewery, LaCrosse, Wis.

Gov. Pingree's fame as the originator of the potato patch scheme for the poor has crossed the ocean, and his plan is being adopted in several European countries.

Tramps set fire to the barns on James Drummond's farm in the town of Rock, Rock, county, Wis., and three buildings were destroyed, with a lot of grain and farm machinery.

About 100 Sonoma, Mich., farmers have organized a club and raised \$500 to fight the law which prohibits the spearing of fish. They will also start a movement to prevent fishermen and hunters from foraging on their farms.

Lawrence Gerrit committed suicide at Bessemer, Mich., because he had been arrested for being drunk and disorderly.

The directors of the Des Moines and Fort Dodge railway have declared a dividend of 6 per cent. on preferred stock, payable Aug. 2.

Thursday was the hottest June day in Iowa for many years. At Dubuque the thermometer reached 90 degrees.

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FREE TICKETS...

To the Methodist Excursion to Chicago,
Monday Evening, June 21

Tomorrow, Saturday, June 19

HERR BROS., the Grocers, will give away
tickets to the above excursion on the follow-
ing propositions:

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A free ticket will be
given every customer
who trades \$5 or more
at our store tomorrow.

\$5 to be Cash.

Proposition No. 2

A free ticket to any
customer who pays \$5
or over on account to-
morrow.



Proposition No. 3

To any person pay-
ing us \$5 cash we will
issue a due bill re-
deemable in trade all
next week and give a
free ticket to Chicago
on the excursion.

..CHICAGO TICKET FREE..

..Regular Saturday Fruit Sale Tomorrow..

Extra Fine Bananas, 10 cents a dozen.

Oranges are poor and almost out of the market. We will have a few
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Last Chance to Get Choice Lemons for 10c a Dozen

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I have taken in exchange towards a Phoenix, one new America, fitted with
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THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 530.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897.

ONE CENT.

MAY BE ARBITRATED.

Mayor Bell May Settle the Troubles in the Tunnel Road Company.

END IS MUCH DESIRED.

Litigation is Engaged in Delay in Construction Will be Weary.

The trouble of the Tunnel railroad company will probably be settled out of court. Mayor Bell has been appealed to by both sides of the controversy and doubtless the mayor will accomplish a peaceable adjustment of the difficulties. The Deam faction and also the Davies faction have implicit confidence in the ability of the mayor and he will probably be selected to arbitrate the difficulties.

Such a settlement seems to be the sensible solution of the trouble. The case started in the circuit court, even if Mr. Deam should succeed in gaining his point, might possibly have the effect of freezing Charles G. Davies out of the company and Mr. Davies is the only man who thus far has any money in the enterprise, with the exception of a few straggling dollars spent in the early commencement of work.

A good many thousand dollars have been spent in right of way and construction—not spent in reality for the work is unpaid thus far. Men are in need of their money and many stories of enforced poverty are being heard on account of the non-appearance of the pay day booked to arrive this week.

As soon as the trouble between the directors of the road is settled the capital is ready to pay this construction work and to carry it forward. As long as the fight is on the construction will stop and the laborers and contractors will be out of the money which is theirs and which they need.

The road at the present time would scarcely seem to be of any great commercial value and its unsavory record as a debt defaulter will not add to its value. Benton Harbor is interested in the road and wants it, and the general impression is that a settlement is greatly to be desired.

If Mayor Bell succeeds in bringing about a compromise he will have the good of the city and of both parties to the litigated case as well. Litigation means that no more work is done on the road for a year.

that the debts of the new company will remain unpaid. Compromise means that the railroad will be built and the debts of the new company paid.

NAVAL DRILL.

It May be One of the Attractions July 5.

Negotiations are pending looking to the bringing of two sections of the Illinois naval militia to this city to give a drill on July 5.

The naval militia is the same class of organization as the regular state militia, only that the naval soldiers fight and drill on the water instead of on land. There are 10 men to each section and each section has a large boat. A naval drill of this kind would largely compensate for the loss of a regular celebration.

COUNTY C. E.

Very Successful Session at Berrien Springs.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, June 18.—The Berrien County Christian Endeavor closed its annual two day's session at this place today.

The program throughout was interesting. Thursday morning Rev. E. S. Ireland of Bridgman conducted the devotional exercises and Rev. Dr. Brooks of Benton Harbor gave a short talk. In the afternoon H. W. Hess of Berrien Springs gave the address of welcome, which was responded to by the county superintendent. This was followed by a junior rally conducted by Miss Cora Hubbell of Buchanan. Mrs. Alice Parry of Three Oaks spoke on "How Shall We Create an Interest in Missions." Miss Edna Garrat and Rev. L. G. Herbert of Watervliet rendered a duet. Miss Carrie Parsons of Kalamazoo spoke on the importance of the junior work, Miss Clara Hubbell on the junior pledge and Miss Hattie Green of Three Oaks on the importance of the pledge. In the evening ringing addresses were made by the Hon. O. N. Woodruff and Rev. L. G. Herbert both of Watervliet.

There was a sunrise prayer meeting this morning. Those on the program today were Rev. Frank Fox, Miss Myrtle Pardee, Three Oaks, Miss Simmons, Buchanan, Dr. Brooks, Benton Harbor and an open parliament.

This has been a very successful convention. Nearly every place in the county was represented and undoubtedly the rain kept a number away.

Three Oaks and Watervliet had the largest representation.

The reports from the societies were encouraging as they showed that the society was increasing and prospering.

The Junior Christian Endeavor work was shown that it is progressing more than the Senior.

There was the largest delegation of juniors at this convention than ever before.

The next meeting will be held in Watervliet next June.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Frank Fox, Three Oaks; secretary, Miss Belle Bratton, Coloma; treasurer, Miss Nina Sparks, Berrien Springs; junior superintendent, Miss Lulu Weatherwax, St. Joseph; missionary superintendent, Miss Roby Chadwick, Benton Harbor; Bible superintendent, Rev. L. S. Herbert, Watervliet.

COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Sheriff Ferguson left this morning for Jackson with Thomas Stathers and John Weston who were sentenced yesterday.

The case in assumpsit of Thomas Walker vs William E. Syms and George Dudley has occupied the court since yesterday afternoon. The judge is hearing the arguments in the case this afternoon.

WILL GIVE PRESENTS.

C. J. Brown Makes a Strong Bid for Saturday's Trade.

For Saturday's grocery trade C. J. Brown will make an unusual effort which cannot fail to catch the people. With every 5 cent cake of Kirk's White Cloud soap he will give a spool of silk thread, choice of colors. The thread is worth 5 cents and the soap is worth every cent as much as the thread.

With every 10 cent cake of White Cloud soap he will give a silver-plated teaspoon, excellent goods.

With every trade of \$2 or over he will give a fine easel mounted picture, nice enough for anyone's parlor. These pictures are 8x12 and are artistic designs.

W. E. Kittelle takes orders and delivers Lowe & Rouse's ice cream from his fruit wagon which makes daily trips to all parts of the city. 3t528

Business Opportunity.

Do you want a nice business? no opposition, nicely located, trade can be increased for a small investment—If so call at this office for particulars.

Van Twiller better than the best.

Ottawa Beach, Grand Rapids, Sunday Excursion, June 20.

Get ready to spend the day at one of these places. To make it easy, the C. & W. M. R'y. will run a special train, leaving Benton Harbor, at 8:10 a. m. Return train will leave Grand Rapids at 6:15 and 11:00 p. m. Leave Ottawa Beach at 7:00 p. m.

Round trip rate to Ottawa Beach, \$1.00. Grand Rapids \$1.00. Return train will leave at 6:15 a. m. and 11:00 p. m.

THE "TOPIC" WON.

The Benton Harbor Bicycle Covered Itself With Glory Yesterday at Bangor.

TOOK EVERYTHING IN SIGHT.

And Now H. A. Foeltzer Feels Avenged and is Very Happy in Consequence.

H. A. Foeltzer, president of the Benton Harbor bicycle works, took half a dozen of his famous Topic wheels to the Bangor races yesterday and quarter of a dozen riders. He went after satisfaction and he got it.

Some Benton Harbor man went to Bangor and told about that the Topic wheel was no good. Now Mr. Foeltzer has an agent at Bangor who is doing quite a business in selling his wheels and the story of the Benton Harbor smarty hurt the comfort if not the business of the Bangor agent.

Yesterday there was a Grand Army reunion at Bangor and the town was full of visitors, and a few of the visitors were full of the town—or something else. Mr. Foeltzer and his little squad arrived at the race track and his riders were about to be barred out because they lived in another county. The crowd on the grand stand wanted to see the Bangor boys do up the Benton Harbor lads and there was a shout which the authorities could not resist: "Let the kids ride if they want to. They won't hurt anybody."

So they rode, and they won every race except the first which was a ladies' race. Following is the score: Half mile boys' race—Fred Northrup, Topic, first; Lynch, Topic, second. Time 1:13.

One mile race—Harry Cross, Topic, was in the lead. He fell and a Paw Paw rider took first prize. Cox, Topic, second; Vaughan, Topic, third. Time 2:38.

Two mile handicap—Fred Northrup was given one-eighth mile start. Cox, Topic, first; Northrup, Topic, second; Harry Cross, Topic, fourth. Time 5:22.

Five mile free for all—Vaughan, Topic, first; Woodard, Topic, second, and Cox, Topic, third. Time 14:74.

The Bangor boys took on at such a rate that the Topic riders gave back the prizes they had won, and they were divided among the local riders.

New Michigan Postmasters.

Michigan postmasters appointed yesterday; J. R. Graham, at Applegate, Sanilac county, vice T. Elliot, removed; J. G. Bruce at Burnside, Lapeer county, vice S. P. Gates, removed; Herman Prange at Casco, St. Clair county, vice J. L. Kellar, removed; A. A. Holdt, Kilmanagh, Huron county, vice John Rummel, resigned; W. W. Harrington at North Branch, Lapeer county, vice William Butler, removed; N. M. Stark at Otter Lake, Lapeer county, vice W. E. McCormack, removed; Henry Hull at Ravenna, Muskegon county, vice E. Thatcher, resigned; J. M. Johnson, Richmond, Macomb county, vice J. M. Hathaway, removed; J. M. Bradley at Sebawa, Ionia county, vice A. A. Garlock, removed; J. H. Schluster, Sebewaing, Huron county, vice J. L. Pregitzer, removed; C. H. Loomis at Sparta, Kent county, vice Albert Betterly, removed; F. H. Clark, at Utica, Macomb county, vice Syra Morrison, resigned.

HERE'S A CHANCE.

W. E. Kennedy Will Sell Ladies' Lace Pins Dirt Cheap.

Tomorrow, Saturday June 19, only, I will place my entire line of ladies' lace pins on special sale. This stock consists of pins which have always been sold at from 75 cents to \$3.50. You can take your choice of the lot at 50 to \$1.25. You are asked to look at the goods. W. E. KENNEDY, jeweler.

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

We have given John Schaller the agency in Benton Harbor for our Barley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley it is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurity. For the sick and feeble it is a true tonic. E. H. CHASE & Co., Distillers, Louisville, Ky.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for No. 1 a-Kold at Bird's drugstore. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Carmody Bros. and Enders & Young, Watervliet, sell Katie Putnam cigars. 6t529.

Erie, Pa. Excursion.

June 23 and 24 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Erie, Pa., and return at one fare for the round trip account meeting Knights of St. Johns. For full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Spray Your Trees.

A good fruit crop only is secured by spraying your trees. Now is the time. W. F. Kimball will spray one tree or a large orchard. Leave orders at A. H. Rowe's grocery store. 504 t

Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

Excursion up the River.

The ladies of Benton Center Circle, who are raising money for building a Union church, will give an excursion up the river on the May Graham June 19. Fare for the round trip 50 cents. Boat will leave Benton Harbor at 7:30 a. m. and St. Joseph at 1:00. The ladies will conduct a lunch counter on the boat. Ticket 50c.

Just for the Fun of It

I WILL SELL THIS WEEK

2000 pairs Ladies' Hose,	at 5c per pair
2000 pairs Misses' Hose,	at 5c per pair
A good Hammock,	for 75c
\$2.50 Shirt Waists for \$1.00	A nice 6c Dimity for 4c
1.25 " " " .75	" 12c " for 8c
.75 " " " .45	" 10c " for 7c
A lot of Shirt waists for .25	All Linen Crash for 44c
Best Amoskeag Gingham,	for 44c
Toile De Nord fine French Gingham,	for 64c
\$1.00 Kid Gloves,	for 69c

In fact I will sell you every article in Dry Goods and Notions for less than any one in town.

SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' SILK CAPES AT \$3.19

Other stores will charge you \$4.50 for the same goods.

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Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

We are always on a reserved seat in the front row.

Saturday, June 19

WE OFFER

10 doz. ladies' Jersey vests at 7c each.
10 doz. ladies' Jersey vests at 4c each.
10 doz. ladies' summer corsets at 20c each.
500 yds. fine summer silks at 19c per yard.
5 doz. ladies' Jersey union suits at 25c per suit.
5 doz. ladies' Jersey vests, long sleeves, 15c each.
10 doz. ladies' White Point silk mitts in black at 22c, worth 35c a pair.
We will on this date offer 1,000 yds. all Silk, Satin and GroGrain Ribbons in Nos. 7, 9, 12, 16 and 22, worth from 12c up to 25c per yd. Your choice of any color or width at the unprecedented price of 12c per yd.

...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.
Fine Shredded Coconut, 18c lb.
Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb.
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.
5lbs. Good Rice for 25c.
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.
Armour's family lard, 5c lb.
XXXX coffee at 15c.
9 bars Jaxon soap for 25c.
Javanese coffee at 15c pkg.
10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.
Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.
Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.
Armour's family bacon, 8c lb.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29
Guaranteed for One Year.

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Millinery...Millinery

As it is our custom at this time of year to clean up for the season, regardless of cost we make prices for the next 10 days one-fourth off. This means 50 per cent less than you can buy the same goods elsewhere.

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Fresh Crushed Fruits

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Come and Drink Soda That is Soda.

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110 Water St.

We are sole agents for the celebrated

Field's Ice Cream



the prices off our Carpets and beginning Monday, June 14, we will place on sale all of our

Carpets and Mattings...

At Greatly Reduced Prices...

We will sell the best Extra Super Ingrain Carpet at 45c, regular 60c quality.

Other Ingrains at 45c, 37 1-2c, 30c and 20c.

Hempes at 13c.

Straw Mattings at 9c, 11c, 14c and 20c.

Everything included in this sale are guaranteed to be this year's stuff in new designs. No old designs which can be bought for a song, but extra good values.

...JAMES POUND

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AGAINST THE MOVE ON HAWAII

Declares Herself the Ruler of the Islands by the Will of God, Deposed by Aliens to Her Dominion and Against the Will of the People of Hawaii--Backs Up Her Claim with the Willis Report on the Revolution--Rule of an Alien Minority Charged.

Washington, June 13.—About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon ex-Queen Liliuokalani filed the following protest in the office of the secretary of state. It was delivered into the hands of Secretary Sherman by Joseph Heleluhe, representing the native Hawaiians, duly commissioned by two of their Patriotic leagues. Heleluhe was accompanied by Captain Julius A. Palmer, the American secretary of Liliuokalani. Sherman treated the bearers most courteously, but gave no indication of his action in the matter:

"I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, by the will of God named heir apparent on the 10th day of April, A. D., 1887, and by the grace of God queen of the Hawaiian Islands on the 17th day of January, A. D., 1893, do hereby protest against the ratification of a certain treaty which, so I am informed, has been signed at Washington by Messrs. Hatch, Thurston and Kinney, purporting to cede those islands to the territory and dominion of the United States, I declare such treaty to be an act of wrong towards the native and part-native people of Hawaii, an invasion of the rights of the ruling chiefs, in violation of international rights both toward my people and toward friendly nations with whom they have made treaties; the perpetuation of the fraud whereby the constitutional government was overthrown; and, finally, an act of gross injustice to me.

Refers to the Willis Report. "Because the official protest made by me on the 17th day of January, 1893, to the so-called provisional government was signed by me and received by said government with the assurance that the case was referred to the United States of America for arbitration.

"Because, that protest and my communications to the United States government immediately thereafter expressly declare that I yielded my authority to the forces of the United States, in order to avoid bloodshed, and because I recognized the futility of a conflict with so formidable a power.

"Because, the president of the United States, the secretary of state and an envoy commissioned by them reported in official documents that my government was unlawfully coerced by the forces, diplomatic and naval, of the United States; that I was at the date of their investigations the constitutional ruler of my people.

"The Just Powers of the Government," etc. "Because, such decision of the recognized magistrates of the United States was officially communicated to me and to Sanford B. Dole, and said Dole's resignation requested by Albert S. Willis, the recognized agent and minister of the government of the United States.

"Because, neither the above named commission nor the government which sends it has ever received any such authority from the registered voters of Hawaii, but derives its assumed powers from the so-called committee of public safety, organized on or about said 17th day of January, 1893, said committee being composed largely of persons claiming American citizenship, and not one single Hawaiian was a member thereof or in any way participated in the demonstration leading to its existence.

"Because, my people, about 40,000 in number, have in no way been consulted by those, 3,000 in number, who claim the right to destroy the independence of Hawaii. My people constitute four-fifths of the legally qualified voters of Hawaii, and excluding those imported for the demands of labor about the same proportion of the inhabitants.

CONFISCATES THE CROWN LANDS.

Robs Her of Her Hereditary Property and Ignores National Good Faith.

"Because, said treaty ignores not only the civic rights of my people but, further, the hereditary property of their chiefs. Of the 4,000,000 acres composing the territory said treaty offers to annex, 1,000,000 (or 915,000) acres has in no way been heretofore recognized as other than the private property of the constitutional monarch, subject to a control in no way differing from other items of a private estate.

"Because, it is proposed by said treaty to confiscate said property, technically called the Crown lands, those legally entitled thereto either now or in succession receiving no consideration whatever for estates their title to which has been always undisputed and which is legitimately in my name at this date.

"Because, said treaty ignores not only all professions of perpetual amity and good faith made by the United States in former treaties with the sovereigns representing the Hawaiian people, but all treaties made by those sovereigns with other and friendly powers, and it is thereby in violation of international law.

"Because, treating with the parties claiming at this time the right to cede said territory of Hawaii, the government of the United States receives such territory from the hands of those whom its own magistrates (legally elected by the people of United States and in office in 1893) pronounced fraudulently in power and unconstitutionally ruling Hawaii.

"Therefore, I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, do hereby call upon the president of that nation to whom alone I yielded my property and my authority to withdraw said treaty (ceding said islands) from further consideration. I ask the honorable senate of the United States to decline to ratify said treaty, and I implore the people of this great and good nation, from whom my ancestors learned the Christian religion, to sustain their representatives in such acts of justice and equity as may be in accord with the principles of their fathers; and to the Almighty Ruler of the Universe, to Him who judgeth righteously, I commit my cause.

Washington, June 13.—The senate made greater progress yesterday on the tariff bill than any day since the debate opened. Two entire schedules, covering twenty pages, were completed, namely—schedules H, on spirits, wines and beverages, and schedule I, on manufactured cotton goods. This brings the senate to the flax schedule, with the important wool schedule standing next. The portion of the bill passed yesterday is substantially the same as that reported, all committee changes being unimportant.

The house was in session an hour and a half yesterday, most of the time being taken up with roll calls. Sulzer of New York succeeded in injecting into the proceedings a brief speech in favor of Cuba, in which he denounced Weyler as a "thief" and "murderer." The bill for the relief of the residents of Greer county, O. T., was passed. At 1:35 p. m., the house adjourned till Monday.

One of the Democratic members of the senate committee on finance said yesterday that henceforth they would interpose no objection to the rapid disposition of the tariff bill. They will suggest amendments and ask votes on them for the purpose of making a record, but there will, if they can control the matter, be no long speeches on the schedule, with the possible exception of wool, hides, the reciprocity paragraph which the Republicans have promised to report, and a few other sections.

BUTTER SHIPMENTS TO ENGLAND.

Result of the Experiment to Extend Our Dairy Export Trade.

Washington, June 13.—The results of the first shipment of butter ever made by this government to foreign markets, this time to England, have been communicated to Secretary Wilson in an official report from the experts who managed the experimental exportation. The data is of significance to dairying interests and as an indication of what may be expected in the development of markets for these products. The report says it is evident that unless the retailers can be reached without much extra expense in transportation, so that better relative prices can be realized, eastern creameries cannot yet afford to consider the question of exporting their products.

Opinions of English judges indicate that one-quarter ounce of salt to the pound of butter will be enough to use for this market. Cubical boxes were much preferred by the wholesalers, who paid a considerable difference for it in that shape. Small packages were not in favor with them, and although scoring highest as to quality the thirty-pound tubs, sold as "quarters" of twenty-eight pounds, brought only 17 1/2 cents per pound, and five-pound boxes and prints less than 16 cents. The wholesalers paid 18 1-5 cents for the Iowa butter in cubical boxes, and for the identical butter in Welsh or sixty-pound creamery tubs they paid only 17 1/2 cents.

Hood's Pills
Stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure biliousness, headache, dizziness, sour stomach, constipation, etc. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE VANDALIA.

Lake Chautauque Excursion.

On account of meeting of the Photographers' Association of America, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets July 11 and 12 to Lakewood or Jamestown, N. Y., at one first class limited fare for the round trip. For rates and full information call on or address, FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

Detroit Excursions.

July 5, 6, 12 and 13 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Detroit, Mich., and return at one fare for the round trip, account meeting of Young People's Christian union, and meeting of the National Republican league of the United States. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Chattanooga and Return \$15.15.

July 13, 14, 15, the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Chattanooga and return at the above low rates on account of the International Convention Baptists Young People's union of America. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Fourth of July.

July 3, 4, and 5 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to all points within 200 miles of its own and connecting lines at one fare for the round trip, tickets limited to return on or before July 6. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

To San Francisco Only \$26.45.

June 28, 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, the Vandalia line will sell tickets to San Francisco at the above low rate, and at correspondingly low rates to other western points and for the return trip on account of Y. P. S. C. E. Only one change of cars to or from the Pacific coast. For full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Erie, Pa. Excursion.

June 23 and 24 the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Erie, Pa., and return at one fare for the round trip account meeting Knights of St. Johns. For full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, agent.

Spray Your Trees.

A good fruit crop only is secured by spraying your trees. Now is the time. W. F. Kimball will spray one tree or a large orchard. Leave orders at A. H. Rowe's grocery store. 504 tf

Ottawa Beach, Grand Rapids, Sunday Excursion, June 20.

Get ready to spend the day at one of these places. To make it easy, the C. & W. M. R'y. will run a special train, leaving Benton Harbor, at 8:10 a. m. Return train will leave Grand Rapids at 8:15 and 11:00 p. m. Leave Ottawa Beach at 7:00 p. m. Round trip rate to Ottawa Beach, \$1.00. Grand Rapids \$1.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$2.00. Grand Rapids \$2.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$2.50. Grand Rapids \$3.00. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$3.00. Grand Rapids \$3.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$3.50. Grand Rapids \$4.00. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$4.00. Grand Rapids \$4.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$4.50. Grand Rapids \$5.00. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$5.00. Grand Rapids \$5.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$5.50. Grand Rapids \$6.00. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$6.00. Grand Rapids \$6.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$6.50. Grand Rapids \$7.00. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$7.00. Grand Rapids \$7.50. Round trip to Ottawa Beach, \$7.50. Grand Rapids \$8.00. 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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897.

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SAID TO BE NAMED.

The Deputy Oil Inspector for Berrien and Cass Counties is Probably Appointed.

CHOICE NOT YET MADE PUBLIC.

The Three Candidates in this County are Trying to Read Their Fate in the Stars.

On July 1 the term of W. L. George as deputy state oil inspector for Cass and Berrien counties expires and the place will be filled for some other good republican. Mr. George has held the office for four years and made no application for re-appointment as he preaches and practices the doctrine that if two terms were enough for Washington they are enough for George or anybody else.

Word was received here this week that the appointment of a deputy for this district had been practically made but that the announcement would not be made public for several days. It was added in the information, however, that the appointee is a Berrien and not a Cass county man.

This last announcement has brought joy to each of the three candidates in this county, who are: Charles A. Brown and Edward Brammal of this city and D. H. Bower, the editor of the Buchanan Record.

Every one of the candidates has strong indorsements and it is likely that Governor Pingree will exercise some of his choice political discernment in the selection.

Dr. Gifford, chiropodist, office opposite postoffice.

COLLEGE NOTES.

All the Teachers, or Nearly so, Bicycle Enthusiasts.

Prof. Niz started on his bicycle trip on Wednesday; his tour will include several of the cities of Michigan and Indiana.

By appointment of the state superintendent, Principal Edgecumbe will take charge of the teachers institutes at Hastings and Ludington, in August next.

The summer term of the college will open on Monday, June 28, with the following corps of teachers:—Mr. Niz will take charge of French and German.

Mr. Whitten will teach Latin and Greek.

Mrs. Edgecumbe with one or two assistants will conduct the usual kindergarten training class.

Mr. McCracken takes care of the science classes.

Miss M. M. Mericle, who has recently been engaged to succeed Miss Edison, will conduct the work in elocution, physical culture and literature. This young lady who is a graduate of the Emerson school of Oratory of Boston, comes with very high testimonials of efficiency.

Mr. B. R. Foster will teach mathematics and English.

Mrs. Webb, Miss Collins and Mr. Beckley will conduct the vocal and instrumental work; preparations are being made for some interesting features in this department during the summer.

Miss Canaday will give instruction in free-hand drawing and painting.

Mr. Edgecumbe will take charge of the pedagogical work and other duties that may be found necessary. With this faculty all students in attendance, will enjoy exceptional advantages, especial provision being made for those who wish to begin the ancient or modern languages, for those who desire to do supplementary work for the universities, and for those preparing for the various grades of certificate.

Several of the rooms of the college have been repapered since school closed and many other improvements have been made in readiness for the summer term.

Principal Edgecumbe and wife have just returned from their bicycle trip, which included Kalamazoo, Battle Creek, Marshall, Albion and Jackson, with many side jaunts to villages lying along the line of the Michigan Central and Lake Shore railroads. The weather was delightful and the roads in very good condition; in these respects no fault could be found. With the exception of some rather high hills which had to be surmounted by more natural means, all the journey was performed on the wheel. Two days were spent in visiting with the family of Mr. E. Billingham near Albion, and a week with Dr. and Mrs. N. D. Yale of Deerfield, near Adrian. Mrs. Yale is a sister of Mr. Edgecumbe and was at one time lady principal of the college. The trip was very beneficial to both Mr. and Mrs. Edgecumbe who have been very closely confined to school work for the past two or three years.

Smoke the best—Van Twiller's.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin needs stimulating and color-food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer.

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Which is the best cigar? Van Twiller's.

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STAR SHIPMENT.

40,000 Cases of Strawberries Shipped from This County Last Night.

The fruit commission men claim the largest shipment of strawberries for last night. They estimate a shipment of 40,000 cases from Berrien county, the largest percentage going from St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

RECEPTION TO MR. CONGER.

Benton Harbor People Will Meet the Minister to Brazil.

From 8 to 11 o'clock tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Conger will give a reception at their home on Pipestone in honor of the Hon. E. H. Conger, the new minister to Brazil, who will stop here on his way from Iowa to Washington. He is a brother of F. D. Conger.

The invitations for the reception were sent out today, and those fortunate to receive them will meet one of the foremost political and diplomatic figures which the great state of Iowa claim.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

The Berrien Springs band has reorganized, with M. D. Lyon director, Earl Stowe assistant, Irvin Morgan manager, Jesse Wollam secretary and George Wollam treasurer. The mem-

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ber, are all old hands and seem to take acid at the right place. It's a good band and all ready for business.

Muskegon is rejoicing over having secured a rolling mill.

Because of a desire to obtain wealth without working for it in the old-time way, Jerome W. Tompkins, Charles Lyons and a 19-year-old boy named Dorr Holliday, all of Vicksburg, are in jail on the charge of counterfeiting Uncle Sam's money.

Commencement at Ann Arbor next week.

The diphtheria epidemic at Gallen is subsiding.

The Hessian fly is doing damage to Michigan wheat.

Lansing's council wants the telephone and telegraph companies to pay for the use of the streets.

William Alden Smith is trying to get a \$240,000 appropriation for Holland harbor.

Change in Eau Claire School Board.

EAU CLAIRE, June 18.—Dr. J. H. Herring has been chosen director of the school board in the place of Jos. Tennant resigned. At a meeting of the board Saturday night it was decided to add a new room next year. Miss Maude Ward will be retained as primary teacher and Miss Ethel Wynn will teach in the intermediate department.

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Home-Seekers Excursion to the South and Southeast.

July 6 and 20, August 3 and 17 and on each preceding day the Vandalla Line will sell round trip excursion tickets to points in the south and southeast at very low rates. For full information call on or address

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The Paw Paw Lake Train.

The Paw Paw lake train will go into service Saturday, June 19. Parties attending the races in Coloma on that day can return to Benton Harbor at 5:15 p. m.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line; to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening, thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping.

TRAMPS ARE BOLD.

They Robbed Several Wagons Hitched in the Shadow of the City Hall Last Night.

PEOPLE BECOMING ALARMED.

And They are Crying Out for the Hasty Inauguration of the Stone Pile.

Right in the very shadow of the city hall on East Main and Sixth streets last night half a dozen wagons were robbed by hoboes. Theodore F. Barry lost an overcoat, an undercoat and a coat belonging to one of his boys; the gossamer of Mrs. Rolla Woodruff was stolen from her wagon-tight in front of the city hall; J. H. Dickerman, whose horse was tied on Sixth street, had two lines stolen from his harness. Several other rigs were burglarized.

The people are crying out for the hasty inauguration of the promised stone pile. The tramp nuisance cannot much longer be endured in peace.

IMPORTANT RULING ON PENSIONS.

One That Will Affect Many Claims Where Soldiers Have Disappeared.

Washington, June 18.—Assistant Secretary Davis, of the interior department, has rendered a decision that will affect many claims for pensions. He reversed the action of the pension office in the case of Catherine Geronzin (a widow of a soldier in the Ohio infantry), which rejected the claim for pension because there was no proof of the death of the soldier. Geronzin left home in July 1866, since which time nothing has been heard from him.

The assistant secretary holds that further inquiry should be made concerning the man and if nothing is thereby developed throwing additional light on the case death may be presumed under the act of March 15, 1896, making seven years absence from home, without intelligence of his existence, be sufficient for a presumption of death.

Andrews Will Face His Accusers.

Chicago, June 18.—Dwight L. Andrews, former state grain inspector, under indictment for embezzlement, conspiracy, and other charges, suddenly returned to Chicago yesterday and gave bonds to appear when called for trial. Andrews appeared in Judge Dunne's court with William J. O'Brien and Tom Gahan. His features were tanned a healthy brown, and he evidently had lost little sleep over the troubles incident to his unfortunate administration of the grain office. One of the most serious charges against Andrews was that of robbing the state funds by wholesale pay-roll stuffing. In this connection the grand jurors examined scores of witnesses who had been on the pay-rolls at the grain office and swore they had not earned a penny of their wages.

Governor Tanner's Vacation.

Springfield, Ill., June 18.—Governor and Mrs. Tanner will vacate the executive mansion tomorrow in order to permit the repairs provided for by the legislature to be made. They will spend a month at the grounds of the Milona club in northern Minnesota. Governor Tanner has notified Lieutenant Governor Northcott of his intended absence from the state, and he has invited him to act as governor during that time.

Oldest Indiana Banker Dead.

Waterloo, Ind., June 18.—John Leas, the oldest banker in northeastern Indiana, died at his residence in this city Wednesday afternoon at the age of 82 years. He was the founder of the Citizens' bank of Waterloo. The funeral will be held Friday under the direction of the Masons.

Richard Yates to Get the Post.

Washington, June 18.—It is learned that the appointment of Richard Yates, of Illinois, as collector of internal revenue for the Springfield district, has been fully decided upon, and his nomination will be sent to the senate within the next few days.

Drowned in Eel River.

Wabash, Ind., June 18.—Ernest Ebberhouse, aged 14, and Royal Hamm, 13, were drowned yesterday morning at North Manchester while bathing in Eel river.

Want to Oust Russell Sage.

New York, June 18.—A formidable movement is on foot to oust Russell Sage from the presidency of the Iowa Central Railway company.

New Bank for Logansport, Ind.

Washington, June 18.—Authority has been granted for the organization of the City National bank, of Logansport, Ind., capital, \$200,000.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1897.

THE WEATHER.
 Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow.
 Rain in Southern Michigan.

BANGOR citizens are convinced now that the only wheel made is made in Benton Harbor.

QUEEN Lil is trying to put a stop to the annexation of Hawaii. The ex-queen will have just about as much to say as ex-senator David B. Hill, the man without a wife or family.

THE Niles papers are now by the ears. It has gone so far that one of them calls upon the public in the name of Christianity to wipe off the wart (the other paper) from the face of the community. It looks as though the Phoenix accident association might write a few policies in the Niles newspaper offices.

A SAN Francisco millionaire has just been jailed for spitting on the floor of a street car. That's right. A millionaire ought not to get off with a fine in such a case and a hobo should not be jailed for minor offenses. Paying fines is easy for the millionaire and going to jail is a delightful excursion to the average hobo.

THE Berrien Springs Era would like to know who was the disgruntled republican supervisor who voted for a democratic chairman. As the board was a tie some one—either a republican or a democrat—had to vote for the candidate of the other party. The republican who voted for Mr. Tichenor was a patriot. He believed the people of the county elected the board of supervisors to do business and not to quarrel over who should be chairman of the board.

What Lincoln Had Learned.
 Mr. Albert Blair, writing in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat about President Lincoln, remarks especially upon his unaffectedness, and in so doing relates a story which may prove an encouragement to readers who have sometimes found themselves ignorant where they had supposed themselves well informed. In February, 1865, Mr. Blair was present at a White House reception, a general reception, open to everybody. Mr. Lincoln was attended by Judge David Davis, who took the names of all comers and introduced them to the president.

Of course there was a crowd, and nobody had time for more than a word and a handshake. Mr. Blair was presented to the president, and then stepped aside to watch the show. Mr. Lincoln and Judge Davis carried on a conversation, constantly interrupted though it was.

"Now," says Mr. Blair, "it was 'How do you do, colonel?' or 'My brave boy' (this to a young soldier) or 'I am glad to see you,' or some other phrase of cordial recognition."

There was no official starch, but what especially impressed Mr. Blair was a remark made by Mr. Lincoln in a perfectly matter of fact, unaffected tone, loud enough to be heard by many of the bystanders.

"Judge," said he, "I never knew until the other day how to spell the word 'maintenance.'" Here a hand interrupted him. "I always thought it was m-a-i-n, main, t-a-i-n, tain, a-n-o-e, ance, maintainance, but I find it is m-a-i-n, main, t-e, to, n-a-n-o-e, nance, maintenance."

Bargain in Land
 Ten acres of good land as level as the house floor. Within five minutes walk of the electric street railway. One-half set to all kinds of fruit. This property will next be required for city lots and will make just 50 good-sized lots. At the low price of \$200 each will equal \$10,000 and if taken at once will take \$5,000.

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Very Low Rates to Western Points.

On account of the C. E. U. Convention at San Francisco, tickets will be sold by the C. & W. M. and D. G. R. & W. lines at very low rates on June 29-30, July 1-2-3.

To all western points tickets will also be sold at rates not higher than to San Francisco.

Ask agents for full information or address.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Genl. Passr. Agt., Grand Rapids.

Old papers for sale at this office.

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Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

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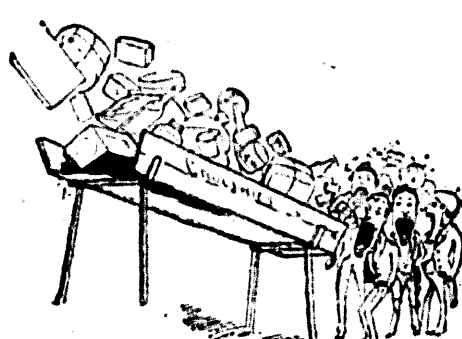
How quick we will jump for a chance to receive it.

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Yours, etc.,

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 7 piece berry sets, 25c
 Water sets, from 50c to \$2.00
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LOOK for the special sale announcements in today's paper.

THE big Reichhold shows will be here June 22, next Tuesday.

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. Holman, Heath's Corners, a daughter.

THE Methodist excursion and the circus will conflict next Tuesday.

HERR Bros. expressed fifty crates of strawberries to Grand Rapids last night.

If the weather will permit, C. R. Hollis & Son will send up a thirty foot balloon tomorrow evening.

WRESTLING match between Champion Fred Vandenberg and Clare Knoke in Conkey's hall tomorrow night.

THE telephone for the new company are being admired by a large number of people at the Robinson store on Pipestone street.

MEMBERS of the Tribe of Ben Hur are requested to pay their assessments to Will Chapman on account of the illness of the scribe.

THE ladies of St. John's church will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. John Robinson Monday, June 21. All are cordially invited.

TWO tough looking emigrant wagons arrived here from Indian territory this afternoon. One is going to northern Michigan and the other to Sister Lakes.

THE fruit growers' express shipped three cars of strawberries last night. One was sent to Detroit and another to Peoria. A refrigerator car carries 500 crates.

MR. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford were married twenty-three years ago today. Mrs. Crawford is celebrating the anniversary by nursing her husband's sprained ankle.

THE owner of the St. Joseph brick factory cannot swear to the identity of the engine fixtures captured here yesterday. The stolen goods are just like his but he cannot swear to them.

THE representatives of the 1,000 independent telephone companies in the United States will meet in Detroit next Tuesday. The Twin City telephone company will have a representative there.

IT has been learned that the brass fixtures stolen from an engine did not belong to J. M. Allmendinger but they tally closely with the fixtures stolen from the sand brick factory in St. Joseph.

HUGH Hanley, drunk and disorderly, was given 15 days in the county jail today, by Justice Graves. The fellow begged to be released but the justice made him take the proper medicine just the same.

CAPTAIN McIntosh, commanding the City of Chicago, is sick aboard his boat. He brought the steamer into the St. Joseph harbor this morning and then went to bed. Dr. Sowers is attending him. First mate, William Russell, will be in command this afternoon.

ED. Murray, the jay of all country jays, has secured the job of advertising the Columbia cigar in this city. John Mays tried to insure the fellow, who is made up as an awkward country boy, in the Phoenix association, and even Mr. Mays admitted that the country boy was smart.

THE health officer is in a deluge of anonymous letters requesting him to call in various parts of the city to investigate the alleys and streets. He requests THE NEWS to say that no attention will be paid to these letters. If anyone has a complaint to make let them sign their names.

A MAN giving his name as Albert Oberdorf, of Chicago, caught his foot between the bumpers of the freight cars here this morning while trying to catch a ride on the Big Four to Niles. The man was taken to Dr. Bell's office and the bruised foot dressed by Dr. Winans. He suffered intensely and it will be some time before he can walk.

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Special Bargains Which Our Merchants are Offering.

Herr Brothers will tomorrow offer the most wonderful bargain ever given by a Benton Harbor grocery house. With every cash purchase of \$5 or over they will give a ticket on the Methodist excursion to Chicago Monday night; a ticket to any customer paying \$5 or over on account; a ticket to any one buying a \$5 due bill redeemable in groceries next week. As the tickets will cost the firm \$1 the offer is marvelous.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the scalp of the skin needs cleaning.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Miss Mabel E. Geer is suffering with measles.

—B. H. Butler of Berrien Center is the guest of M. S. Peck.

—Miss Blanche Petty of Detroit, is visiting friends in the city.

—Mrs. R. H. Randall of Indianapolis is visiting Mrs. Charles K. Farmer.

—John Bell returned last evening from Orchard Lake where he has been attending school. He will spend the summer at his home here.

—Mrs. J. C. Fyfe, of Hudson, Wis., is visiting her mother Mrs. S. G. Antisdale and will remain here for several weeks.

—E. H. Conger, the new minister to Brazil, will be in this city tomorrow, the guest of his brother, Frank D. Conger. Mr. Conger is on his way to Washington and from there he will go to South America.

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MONASTERIES OF METEORA.

An Extraordinary Scene on the Macedonian Frontier.

Between the curve of the Macedonian frontier of the mountains of Khasia and the open town of Kalabaka, which terminates the long western plain of Thessaly, lie the monasteries of Meteora. A casual glance gives the idea of the whole space being occupied by lines of bare hills, but on a nearer inspection a curious amphitheater is found, carved out among the mountains, and this is occupied by a most extraordinary collection of rocks, on which are perched, like storks' nests or the turban on a Turkish tombstone, the aerial monasteries of Meteora. In one place a huge monolith is found literally crowned with buildings, as in the case of the monastery of All Saints, popularly known as Hagios Barlaam; in another a group of jagged rocks will have one point capped by a monastery, as is seen in St. Nicholas. The most striking feature about these monasteries is the method by which they are reached, either by loose ladders hanging outside the perpendicular rocks or by being wound up by means of a windlass in a net at the end of a rope.

From its beautiful position, its size and the fair preservation of its buildings the monastery of Hagios Barlaam is a very good specimen of these fifteenth century monasteries, but what makes this one of especial interest is that the rope is said to be the longest used for the purpose—340 feet. The ladders to this monastery are not so difficult to climb as some, but inasmuch as they pull out every time you grip them and oscillate frightfully it is pleasanter to risk the net.

The monastery of Hagios Nikolaos appeared to be in a totally dilapidated condition and entirely deserted when we visited Meteora, while the ladders, which rise from a neighboring peak and hang from the bare rock, are impracticable. All these monasteries are under the archimandrite, a man of commanding presence and saintly countenance. The village of Kastraki is jammed in between the outer rocks of this curious amphitheater, and in the slit of this rocky wall at the back of the village stands a most peculiar hourglass looking monolith. The rocks on either side are perforated with strange holes, which in the fourteenth century were inhabited by the monks of St. Anthony. —London Illustrated News.

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ANNEXATION LIKELY TO GO OVER

Annexation of the Territory Will Not Object—Strongest Opposition Will Come From—Sherman's Reversal of Himself Does Not Surprise His Old Colleague—Change of Mind a Right Movement—European Comment.

Washington, June 18.—The impression now prevalent in the senate even by the friends of Hawaiian annexation that the treaty cannot be ratified at the present session if there is any such opposition as is promised. The programme now is that the treaty will be reported from the committee, and after the tariff bill has passed it will be called up. The senate will be asked if a time for a vote can be fixed, and upon objections being made by the opponents of the treaty its friends will say they are content to allow it to lie over until the next session. One reason for not pressing the treaty in the face of opposition is that the sentiment which may be only partially opposed to the treaty will be crystallized, which is not desirable. It is also believed that senators who are now undecided may become influenced favorably after mature consideration and after finding out what the drift of sentiment is in their states. It is well known that senators cannot be held here after the tariff bill is passed in the hot weather.

Where the Opposition Will Come From. Opposition to the annexation project has broken out much more violently than was anticipated by the administration, and the treaty will be roughly handled when it comes up in the senate for ratification. Whether this opposition will be able to muster sufficient strength in that body to defeat ratification is a speculative problem. The strongest and most dangerous opposition will come from two sources—those who are against the acquisition of remote territory by the United States and opposed on principle to the embarkation by this government upon colonization schemes, and second, those who will fight annexation on the plea that the cheap labor of the Hawaiian Islands will seriously injure our agricultural interests, particularly checking the development of the best sugar industry of the middle west, which gives promise of being an important addition to the production of the soil throughout a large section of the country.

Sherman's Reversal of Himself. The story that Sherman is to withdraw from the cabinet is current again. It hinges upon the assumption that the secretary's pride has been so humbled by signing a treaty which is in direct contradiction to his settled theories about the danger of territorial acquisition that he will retire from the premiership in disgust. Sherman, during the latter days of the Fifty-fourth congress, when Cuba was under discussion, took occasion to reiterate his previously expressed antagonism to the further addition to our territory, stating that in his opinion it would be the prudent and safe course for this country to attend strictly to its own business and not attempt to possess itself of outlying territory, which might involve us in serious and unnecessary complications with other nations.

Reserved the Right to Change His Mind. This statement was talked about a great deal in the senate yesterday, but very few of the secretary's old colleagues in that body believe he will withdraw from the cabinet. They say that Sherman, all through his political career, has reserved unto himself the right to change his mind or reverse his position to suit the exigencies of any occasion which might arise making such change desirable. Sherman has not as much pride in his consistency as some public men, and it does not seem to embarrass him in the slightest to make a shift. If he had been going to resign he would have done so Wednesday.

FOREIGN VIEWS OF THE MATTER.

Some British Editors Seem To Be the Most Disturbed.

London, June 18.—The Pall Mall Gazette says that the Marquis Ito, the Japanese statesman who was interviewed Wednesday in Paris on the Hawaiian annexation question, has declared that Japan will not create international difficulties in connection with Hawaii, and that certainly no other country will object to the annexation of Hawaii by the United States. Commenting on this utterance, the Pall Mall Gazette says: "President McKinley may call annexation merely a continuance of existing relations, but it is undoubtedly a departure in the colonizing sense. It does not mean that Cuba will follow, or anything of that kind; but it means a strong naval policy. The United States will certainly be a great sea power in the future; her commerce and seaboard necessitate that; and Hawaii will be of the greatest value if it means naval expenditure now, and it may well repay it with compound interest in the future."

The Globe says: "This American grab is a breach of good faith, if not a violation of treaty rights, and there is all the more reason for anticipating a prompt and watchful attitude upon the part of Lord Salisbury now, when it is remembered what a flabby appearance England presented to a contemptuous world in the case of Venezuela. No English ministry, however strong, can afford to repeat that policy often. All Englishmen heartily desire to cultivate and maintain friendly relations with the United States, but our trans-Atlantic kinsmen must not be allowed to believe that England can be bullied into submitting to any kind of off-hand treatment, whether for electioneering or other purposes. Lord Salisbury and his colleagues should stiffen their backs and tell President McKinley politely, but plainly, that Great Britain claims the right to be consulted before the annexation of Hawaii is finally decided upon."

Paris, June 18.—The Temps, referring to the annexation of Hawaii by the United States, says: "We regard the annexation of Hawaii less as the result of a carefully considered plan than as an attempt to relegate to obscurity the dangerous thorny affairs of Cuba. President McKinley evidently imagines that the annexation of Hawaii will be a simple matter."

HAS AN INVESTIGATING SPELL

Nine Wisconsin State Institutions To Be Subjects of Inquiry.

Milwaukee, June 18.—A movement is being formulated to investigate the management of nine of the principal state institutions of Wisconsin on serious charges. Proceedings are already pending against Superintendent J. G. Hart, of the Industrial School for Boys at Waukesha, on charges of drunkenness and cruelty, and Richard Petherick, of the state board of control, has been placed in temporary charge of the institution. Since these proceedings began Lynn S. Pease, one of the attorneys for the prosecution, has received letters demanding an inquiry in other state institutions, and it is expected that formal charges will soon be placed in the hands of the board of control. The chief institutions against the management of which complaint is made are the Asylum for the Insane at Mendota, with about 500 inmates; Northern Hospital for the Insane at Oshkosh, with nearly 600 inmates; state prison at Waupun, with about 625 inmates. The number of boys confined in the state school now being investigated is about 350. Undue cruelty, it is understood, is the principal complaint in each instance.

SOCIAL DEMOCRACY OF AMERICA.

That Is What Debs' Co-operative Colonization Scheme Is Called.

Chicago, June 18.—The name selected for Debs' new departure in the reform line by the committee on legislation of the convention now in session in Ullrich's hall is "Social Democracy of America." There was a good deal of opposition to the name and the debate was warm when it was taken up by the convention.

The name reported was finally agreed to and after six hours of wordy warfare the platform on which the Social Democracy is to stand, was adopted. It declares that thousands of men work in shops, co-operating to the most efficient division of labor, but the fruits of this co-operative labor are in a measure appropriated by the owners of the means of production. The present economic system of the country is considered and condemned, and the platform closes with a call for recruits to enlist under the banner of the Social Democracy. Today the state will be selected in which Debs' co-operative plan will be tried.

Scores on the Ball Field.

Chicago, June 18.—Following are League records at base ball: At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 9, Brooklyn 1; at New York—Cleveland 0, New York 5; at Boston—Chicago 7, Boston 19; at Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia—Rain. Western League: At Columbus—Minneapolis 3, Columbus 10; at Detroit—Milwaukee 3, Detroit 4; at Indianapolis—Kansas City 1, Indianapolis 5; at Grand Rapids—St. Paul 6, Grand Rapids 5.

Western Association: At Des Moines—St. Joseph 9, Des Moines 5.

Is Love an Excuse for Theft?

Oakland, Ills., June 18.—Many expressions of sympathy are heard for Miss Elvira Hunt, the deputy postmistress, who has made trouble for herself by opening letters which she believed contained money. She has confessed as much, and has been indicted by the United States grand jury. The only excuse made in her behalf is that she is in love. She wanted fine clothes with which to adorn herself so that she would appear attractive to her lover. Many people believe that there are circumstances of mitigation in the case.

Killed While Eating His Supper.

Owosso, Mich., June 18.—Charles Moss was struck by lightning and killed Tuesday evening while eating his supper. Moss and his wife had quarreled in the morning, and she had gone to her mother's house and taken her children with her. Moss' entire body was covered with a wonderful tracery like fern leaves of the most delicate construction.

McKinley to Visit Chicago.

Chicago, June 18.—President McKinley and cabinet will come to Chicago to take part in the unveiling of the John A. Logan statue on July 22. The president will review a procession, that promises to be one of the biggest in recent years. The entire Illinois militia and governors and their staffs from twenty states will be present.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

American hens last year earned \$290,000,000, more than the value of the entire wheat crop.

At a picnic of the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin Association of Modern Woodmen, near De Kalb, Ills., three persons had their legs broken and two others were seriously hurt by the falling of a stand on the grounds.

Henry Ross, aged 65 years, while fishing on logs at Shell lake, Wis., was caught by the logs rolling and was crushed and drowned.

The brownstone quarry at L'Anse, Mich., has been started up with a full force after a long period of idleness.

Peter Toucek was probably fatally scalded by falling into a vat of hot malt at Michels' brewery, LaCrosse, Wis.

Gov. Pingree's fame as the originator of the potato patch scheme for the poor has crossed the ocean, and his plan is being adopted in several European countries.

Tramps set fire to the barns on James Drummond's farm in the town of Rock, Rock county, Wis., and three buildings were destroyed, with a lot of hogs, grain and farm machinery.

About 100 Sonoma, Mich., farmers have organized a club and raised \$500 to fight the law which prohibits the spearing of fish. They will also start a movement to prevent fishermen and hunters from foraging on their farms.

Lawrence Gerrity committed suicide at Bessemer, Mich., because he had been arrested for being drunk and disorderly. The directors of the Des Moines and Fort Dodge railway have declared a dividend of 6 per cent. on preferred stock, payable Aug. 2.

Thursday was the hottest June day in Iowa for many years. At Dubuque the temperature was 94, and at Keokuk 98.

The National Association of Railway Postal Clerks, in session at Philadelphia, elected C. B. Shaffer of Chicago, president, and George A. Wood of Boston, secretary.

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